

Nations Send Warships to Canton to Protect People BOLLY RECOVERED FROM WATERS OF INNER HARBOR

SCIENTISTS VIEW SIGHTS IN GLORIOUS SUNSHINE WHILE VISITING CITY

Two Parties of British Association for Advancement of Science Here; Some Younger Men Attracted to Canada for University Facilities.

Parties of the British Association for the Advancement of Science and the International Mathematical Congress, had a busy morning to-day, the majority dividing into two sections. One went to the Dominion Observatory at Saanich Hill, the other to Butchart's gardens. The group going to the observatory were those who could not accept Dr. J. S. Plaskett's invitation after the dinner last evening. About seventy-five went out to the observatory yesterday, and a large party visited the institution to-day.

Some returned in time to hear one of their members, Sir William James Ashley, vice-principal of Birmingham University, address a joint meeting of the Canadian and Kiwanis clubs with members of the Pacific Northwest Library Association, now in session in this city.

The majority of those who stayed over last evening, and the party who arrived this morning from Vancouver left again on the afternoon boat. With them was the second general secretary, Prof. J. L. Myers, the anthropologist, his associate, Prof. F. E. Smith, having arrived with the main party yesterday afternoon.

The stay in Victoria and Vancouver, for a number remained on the mainland, is limited by the fact that the special trains for the East will pull out during to-night from the stations in Vancouver, so that only those who are visiting friends, or have decided to continue to California and cross the United States will remain behind. They all agree that they have had a remarkable reception.

GREATER FUTURE IN CANADA

That some of the professors will be prospective settlers in Canada was forecast by one or two of them to The Times. One officer of the association said: "You would be told if you asked them whether they intended to settle in Canada that such a thought had not entered their heads. Yet the germ is there, and eventually it will mature. The younger men have been attracted by the absence of restrictions in connection with research work in your universities, and some of them will certainly come here to conduct their life work. We have men in the party who were attached to eastern Canadian universities, and the return of the compliment is only a matter of time."

ON THE TRAINS

Reference was made to The Times of the assistance and comfort provided by the trains across Canada. It was mentioned that officers on the special trains on the Canadian National Railway system have on board a small printing press which has

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NOTED SAVANTS WELCOMED AT CIVIC BANQUET

Distinguished Visitors Pay Warm Tribute to Canadian Hospitality

Victoria's cordial welcome to the members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science and the International Mathematical Congress found expression at a civic dinner at the Empress Hotel last evening in honor of the distinguished guests. The affair was of an informal nature and in the brief programme of speeches science was for the nonce relegated to the background while the savants who replied to the toasts confined their remarks almost solely to their impressions of Canada and Canadian hospitality.

His Worship Mayor Hayward presided and in warmly welcoming the toasts to this most western point of Canada voiced the hope that Victoria's greeting would remain long-remembered in their memories.

Dr. J. S. Plaskett, proposed the toast to the British Association, coupling with it the names of the president, Sir David Bruce, Professor Donnan and Mr. F. E. Smith, general secretary of the association.

Sir David Bruce, the president, in an amusing little address referred to the increasing warmth of Canada's welcome to the visitors as they came

TO SPEAK TO-NIGHT

One of the most famous astronomers with the British Association party, Professor A. S. Eddington, Plumian Professor of Astronomy at Cambridge University, who is staying over en route south, will be the speaker at the Victoria High School this evening on the theory of relativity advanced by Einstein, and which has occupied scientific thought for the last few years.

LEADING ECONOMIST ADDRESSES CLUBS

Sir Wm. Ashley Speaks to 350 Members of Canadian And Kiwanis Clubs

The greatest turnout to any luncheon ever held in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium gathered to-day to hear Sir William Ashley, Vice-president of Birmingham University, speak to the Canadian Club and the Kiwanis Club on "Economic Ideals."

Sir William Ashley praised the beauties of this Province. He recalled that thirty-six years ago, an untried Englishman, he had first come to Canada to initiate the first course of economics in Canada, at Toronto University.

He touched upon the scepticism and antagonism then meted out to Political Economy, and the devout hopes of Harvard, when he later transferred there, that "I would not give them too much of that Political Economy stuff."

"So I changed the name to 'economics,' realizing that a rose by any other name would smell as sweet." And those days have now

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LIBRARIANS HEAR SERIES OF PAPERS

Questions of Interest to Profession Discussed at Conference Here

Public Welcomed to Two Evening Meetings To-day And To-morrow

One hundred and twenty-five librarians and people interested in library work are conducting the annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Library Association, in session here under President John Ridington of the library of the University of B.C. There has never been so large an attendance at any previous meeting in the fourteen years of its existence. The representatives include librarians from the public, university and college libraries of the states of Oregon and Washington, and the Province of British Columbia, together with a few members of the profession from Montana and Utah. Toledo, Ohio, is represented by two members from its public library staff.

The public is especially invited to attend the two evening meetings. This evening will be devoted to exposition, appreciation and criticism of books and writers, people are thinking and talking about. There

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No More Applications For Pensions After August 31, Three Years After Peace

No more applications for pensions will be received in accordance with the Pensions Act after the end of this month, the time limit for pension applications arising out of the Great War expiring three years after the formal declaration of peace which was on August 31, 1921. Gerald H. Sedger, Soldier Advocate for Vancouver Island, issues a warning to intending applicants, pointing out that all claims for disability pensions, will be outlawed after August 31. Every ex-service man who suffers from any disability which he believes to be related to his war service should file a claim immediately. Such action may not lead to an immediate adjustment but will be a protection that will permit full consideration ultimately and particularly with respect to any development of the disability.

MANSLAUGHTER CASE OPENS IN SAANICH COURT

Preliminary Hearing of Rex vs. Boak Attended by Crowded Galleries

Crown Adduces Fresh Evidence as to Event on Night of Saanich Fatality

Few cases have drawn a greater crowd to the public galleries of the Police Court than pushed, crowded and forced their way into the Saanich Police Court session this morning during the preliminary hearing of Rex vs. Boak. After two hours of evidence, much of which was fresh material not adduced at the inquest, the court rose at 1 p.m. for the luncheon recess.

Hearing reopened at 2:30 p.m. with a continuation of the case for the Crown. E. L. Tall appeared for the Crown, and H. A. Maclean, K.C. for the accused, Dr. E. W. Boak. Dr. Boak, formally charged with manslaughter following the death of David T. Ballantyne, and Alexander D. McLaughlin, sat through the hearing.

DR. MOORE'S EVIDENCE
Dr. John H. Moore, after giving formal evidence of the autopsy performed on the bodies of the two men found dead at the side of the Saanich Road on August 29 last, was questioned as to the time visitors left the Brentwood party attended by Victoria.

Witness said he had left the grounds at Brentwood between 9 and 9:10 p.m. and that Dr. Boak had left before, passing witnesses who backed his car out of the place where it had been parked. Witness had trouble with a tire on the road and did not see anything further of the Boak car from that time.

Hugo Howard Allen, civil engineer, repeated evidence already given at the inquest as to the distance he measured on the road at the site of the accident, from observations made

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C. A. MATTHEWS IS SOON TO STAND TRIAL IN TORONTO

Toronto, Aug. 26.—Charles A. Matthews, Jr., former Deputy Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, was committed for trial this afternoon by Magistrate Jones on charges of violating the Secret Commissions Act, conspiring with others to affect the market price of sterling bonds of the province and charges of fraud and a breach of the public trust.

Counsel for Matthews will appear before a county judge Thursday morning in an effort to obtain bail for his client, and if his request is refused application will be made to a justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario.

POSTMAN FACES CHARGE OF THEFT OF ONE LETTER

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Herbert S. H. Messinger, aged thirty-three, a postman residing at 2146 Williams Street, was arrested about noon by Detectives McLeod and Grant on a charge of theft of a letter. No details have been made public by the postal authorities, but the actual charge alleges the theft of a letter addressed to Mrs. G. E. Jones, 1213 Nelson Street, containing the sum of \$3.50. The charge was laid by postal authorities.

STOICAL WHEN RESCUED AT SEA; LIEUT. LOCATELLI



Remains of John Gleeson Recovered at Armstrong's Landing

City police this morning took charge of the body of John Gleeson after the remains had been taken from the waters of the Inner Harbor. When taken from the water the body bore no marks of violence. The remains were identified as those of John Gleeson, resident of Victoria and owner of farming sections on the prairies.

For many years past Mr. Gleeson farmed near Moosomin, Sask., and during the winter months resided in this city. He owned a residence on Wildwood Avenue.

Mrs. John Gleeson, his wife, resides at 570 Howe Street, Vancouver, it was learned here to-day.

Lorne, a married son, was killed in the Great War.

The late Mr. Gleeson thought a great deal of his son, and his farming operations of late are reported to have been a failure.

RECOGNIZED MONDAY
On this occasion he had been resident in the city for some months, and was recognized as recently as yesterday morning when walking down Government Street in the direction of the Causeway.

The body had been in the water for a comparatively short time.

Following identification this morning it was learned by the police that Mr. Gleeson had been arranging for the purchase of horses, presumably for shipment to the prairies.

The remains were first identified by Richard Bray of Bay's Stables, Johnson Street, and Alfred Cameron, proprietor of the Lincoln Rooms.

Gleeson was about sixty years of age and of heavy stature.

MISSING AT HOTEL
Mr. Gleeson had been residing at the Ritz Hotel since November 27 of last year.

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MURDERS DONE BY LOVELORN IN LISBON INCREASE

Lisbon, Aug. 26.—"Love me or die" appears to have been the motto adopted by the lovelorn of both sexes here during the sultry month of July. Twenty-nine cases of assassination of the objects of their affection by unrequited or deserted lovers are reported by the authorities.

Metforman Amos Goguen, in charge of the city band car that came in contact with Mrs. Dwight, was exonerated. Evidence was given to show that Mrs. Dwight had hurried across the road and over the tracks on the south side to those on which the car was proceeding to the city.

The evidence was marshaled by the city police who told of the events happening after the accident. The jury returned with the verdict of accidental death after brief deliberation. Dr. E. C. Hart, Coroner, presided.

Railway Board Chairman Is Expected To Be Named Soon

Ottawa, Aug. 26 (Canadian Press)—To-day's Cabinet meeting, which follows closely upon those held at the end of last week, will probably result in a number of important decisions. The Government is confronted with a long list of vacancies, judicial and others, which is slowly lengthening as time goes on.

Among the vacancies which must be filled, the most important is that of Chief Railway Commissioner. The important hearing of protest against the Crow's Nest freight rates will begin in Ottawa September 17 and it is desirable that a full board should hear the arguments. With this in view, the Government may make the appointment immediately.

PREMIER HAPPY ON RETURN FROM NELSON TRIUMPH

Cabinet Changes Coming Soon, But Nothing About it Done To-day

Gen. McRae to Oust Pooley as Conservative Leader is Question Asked

Premier Oliver on his return from his Nelson victory was at his desk early as usual this morning. He was the Beau Brummel of his cabinet meeting to-day as he took his seat at the head of the long oak table in the council chamber.

It was not necessary for newspaper reporters to ask him whether he was elated. He exuded satisfaction and beamed joy. Besides, he appeared in a smart cut-away morning coat and with his beard trimmed down neatly similar to the pointed fashion which is the vogue among statesmen of Europe and has been appearing to this continent this season.

The Premier and his Ministers spent the early part of the executive

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WOULD WIPE OUT SCHOOL BOARD AND POLICE COMMISSION

City Council Would go Further Than Resolution Drafted for Municipalities Convention by Oak Bay Council.

That school boards and police commissions should be swept by the board was the opinion carried on a close vote at the City Council meeting yesterday after a discussion on the resolution of the Oak Bay Council which contains such a recommendation to the B. C. Municipalities Convention at Penticton next month.

The Oak Bay resolution provided for the abolition of police boards and school boards in municipalities of 8,000 and under, but the city council decided to support the resolution with elimination of the reference to 8,000 population on the proposal of Alderman Todd.

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BRITAIN READY TO SIGN TREATIES FOR ARMS REDUCTION

Attitude Made Plain by Premier in Reply to League Proposal

Unable Under Present Conditions to Pledge no Increase in Outlay

Geneva, Aug. 26.—Premier MacDonald of Great Britain to-day declared to the League of Nations that although Great Britain was constantly seeking to reduce her armament expenditures, she could not pledge that the present or future British governments would not exceed current outlays.

His statement was made in answer to the League's request that all countries attempt, in the future not to exceed their armament expenditures for this year.

Mr. MacDonald emphasized that a considerable part of the expenditure due to competition between the powers, which could be eliminated only by mutual agreements. He declared Great Britain always was ready to negotiate such agreements.

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STRIKE OF MERCHANTS IN CANTON CLOSES STORES AND POWERS WATCHING EVENTS

Gunboats Sent to City to Prevent Damage to Foreign Concessions or Killing of People There; Strike Result of Sun Yat Sen Government's Seizure of Arms.

Canton, Aug. 26. (Associated Press)—Two British gunboats, the United States gunboats Asheville and Panganga, a Portuguese and two French gunboats, have arrived here, presumably to protect the foreign concessions and interests in case of trouble arising out of the general merchants' strike. This strike, the result of the seizure by the Government of Dr. Sun Yat Sen of arms which arrived here in the Norwegian steamship Hav consigned to the Merchants' Volunteer Corps but later released, was formally declared to-day. Most of the business houses are closed and a general suspension was expected to-day.

EIGHTY MEN FACE DEATH ABOARD STRANDED DREDGE IN BIG STORM OFF SHORELINE OF NEW JERSEY

Atlantic City, N.J., Aug. 26.—Eighty men face death aboard a stranded Government dredge, the Solosar, in a mountainous sea half a mile off shore as the result of being swept from their inlet moorings early to-day by a wind and rain storm which struck this city with unusual intensity, crippling traffic, uprooting trees and fences, tearing down telephone wires, flooding streets and causing discomfort to pedestrians.

All efforts by coastguards to reach the stranded dredge failed this morning because of the impassable breakers that were swept ashore by a sixty-mile gale driving a sheet of rain before it.

Not a word could be received from the marooned men. About 11 a.m. the dredge was listing badly as it ready to capsize and desperate efforts were made by a tug to reach her and throw a line aboard. The effort was successful, but the men refused to abandon the craft and continued their frantic efforts to save her from destruction as the waves swept over her in unending procession, clearing her decks of unfastened objects.

STORM MOVES NORTH
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 26.—The tropical storm that lashed the North Carolina and Virginia coasts throughout the night, driving numerous ships to shelter and drenching several exposed towns, continued its north-easterly course to-day but left little known damage in its wake.

Hurricane warnings displayed from Beaufort, N.C., to Cape Henry late yesterday prevented a number of vessels from leaving harbors while it number, finding the wind increasing rapidly pulled into port.

VILLAGES DAMAGED
High seas were driven into a number of villages along the coast, but no points reported loss of life. The discomfort was increased all along the roaring course of the storm, however, by heavy wind-driven rainfall.

U.S. AVIATORS TO
LEAVE GREENLAND
NEXT THURSDAY

World Fliers Hope to be at Labrador Point That Night

Rescue of Locatelli and Companions Little Short of Miracle

Aboard U.S.S. Richmond, Aug. 26 (Associated Press)—Lieuts. Smith and Nelson, United States army round-the-world aviators, have notified Rear-Admiral Magruder, commander of the conveying squadron, that they expect to leave Thursday on their flight from Greenland to Labrador, after changing engines.

ADrift EIGHTY HOURS
U.S.S. Richmond, Aug. 26.—The discovery of the missing seaplane piloted by Lieut. Locatelli, and the rescue of its four occupants after tossing about for more than eighty hours on the bleak waters of the North Atlantic came in dramatic fashion.

The Richmond, flagship of Rear-Admiral Magruder, commanding the squadron conveying the United States world fliers, was putting out to sea for the night after a fruitless all-day search Sunday along the Greenland icepack when flares were seen. Immediately the course was changed in

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Ex-Mayor Williams Died in Regina City

Regina, Aug. 26.—R. H. Williams, aged seventy-two, former Mayor of Regina and a prominent business man, died here last night.

NEW AMBASSADOR
U.S. TO JAPAN TO
BE E. A. BANCROFT

Washington, Aug. 26.—Edward A. Bancroft, a widely known Chicago lawyer, probably will be appointed in the near future as United States Ambassador to Japan.

Body of Janet Smith, Vancouver Nursemaid, is to be Exhumed

Interest in Case Grows; Vancouver Chinese Conducting Inquiry

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Mr. Justice McDonald to-day made an order for the exhumation of the body of Janet Smith, upon application of C. W. Craig, K.C., acting on instructions from Attorney-General Manson.

The mysterious death of Miss Smith, who was nursemaid in the household of F. L. Baker on Shaughnessy Heights here on July 28, has been the cause of much discussion. Notwithstanding that there will probably be a new autopsy and inquiry into the death of the girl, investigations are proceeding from several angles. Prominent Chinamen in the city have suddenly realized that the connection of Wong Sing with the tragedy is bringing the Chinese race to the attention of the public in an unwelcome manner, and they have decided to investigate themselves in order to ascertain the facts, as far as they can reach them.

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WOULD WIPE OUT SCHOOL BOARD AND POLICE COMMISSION

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Objections were raised by Alderman Marchant and Alderman Dewar, expressing the opinion that the council would be burdening itself with more work than it could handle.

Alderman Marchant supported the principle of the Provincial Government assuming the responsibility of education costs, and in response to a charge that it would form a fine political machine, challenged an examination of the record for both the present Government and the Conservative Government before it, which he said would prove that the highest gift in their power had been given without political consideration. His objections to the resolution led Alderman Andrews to rise and protest that it would be a waste of money to send a delegate to the convention who was so obviously opposed to the resolution.

Alderman Marchant's claim that a delegate was entitled to express his views was met by Alderman Sargent's claim that it was an absurd situation for delegates from a council to be expressing different views on the same subjects. The delegates went under instructions from the council to represent to support certain resolutions. With regard to the resolution before the council he thought the Government would never put it in force as it stood. Alderman Andrews thought an alderman might give his views as long as he first explained what stand he had been instructed to take by his council.

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long passed, and studies in economics are recognized at their true value," he said.

"The troubles of the world are not so much the wealth as the distribution of it.

"Can anybody refuse to admit the importance of individual effort? especially in a new country like this. Competition left to itself, however, has produced great evils. We see that in the Old Country in many cases.

U.S. AIRMEN TO LEAVE GREENLAND NEXT THURSDAY

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the direction of the lights, which reappeared at intervals. It was after midnight when the plane, bobbing on the water, was "picked up" by the Richmond's searchlight.

Lieut. Marescalet, one of Locatelli's companions, who had been taken aboard the Richmond during the Iceland-to-Greenland attempt, was awakened, and immediately rushed to the deck, where he wept for joy at the realization that his comrades were alive.

FOUR MEN ABOARD

As the Richmond drew near the seaplane, four men were seen in the cockpit. (Previous dispatches said the crew, besides Lieut. Locatelli, consisted of Lieut. Jullio Crossio, relief pilot, and Gladys Barcoud and Bruno Farsynelli, mechanics.)

The fliers were suffering only from fatigue and seasickness, and were soon restored.

SEAPLANE DESTROYED

The wings and steering apparatus of the seaplane were damaged, and it was decided to destroy the craft. The machine, on which they had traveled from Pisa, Italy, was set afire and cast adrift. Soon after it was cut loose the tanks exploded and the seaplane apparently sank.

ALMOST A MIRACLE

The finding of the seaplane after it had drifted beyond the probable zone searched by the naval vessels for three days is regarded as bordering upon the miraculous.

The fliers had been sending up rockets every two hours nightly and had almost exhausted their supply. It developed that the first one they sent up Sunday night was seen on board the Richmond.

"What's the use?" asked Lieut. Locatelli, who was on watch as the rocket ascended, but a few moments later he saw an answering fire from the Richmond.

RESCUED MEN STOICAL

Crossio soon afterward climbed up the sea ladder to the Richmond's deck, stretched wearily and then remarked: "All's well that ends well."

Locatelli was also stoical, although he later watched grimly and with drawn face the destruction of his plane.

STORY OF ACCIDENT

Locatelli, declaring he was not tired, told the story of his mishap. He had been forced down by minor engine trouble and had landed heavily, smashing two struts and damaging the rudder stabilizer. Unable to take off owing to the roughness of the water, he decided to await smoother conditions, having sufficient fuel for three hours' flight. The motion of the waves, the cold and the fog combined to make the position of the aviators most uncomfortable, but there was no actual suffering, they said. There was food for six days more in the plane when it was found by the Richmond. All the crew had some sleep. It was blowing steadily, wafting the plane away from Greenland and slapping waves against the sides of the craft.

Locatelli said that although the chances of rescue apparently were growing less, the crew at no time gave up hope. To a question whether he had received the outcome at any time the Italian ace shrugged his shoulders and replied with a phrase in his native tongue which might be interpreted, "It's all in the game."

SCIENTISTS VIEW SIGHTS IN GLORIOUS SUNSHINE WHILE VISITING CITY

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printed a daily newspaper. The news bulletins have been supplemented by contributions from the passengers. A supply of the papers are printed and laid off for the second train, which followed a few minutes behind the first section.

BOTANISTS SEE PLANTS

The sectional parties divided into two here yesterday, apart from the general visitors, one composed of botanists headed by Professor E. C. Jeffery, of Boston, Mass., going out under C. C. Pemberton's guidance. Another composed of geographers were welcomed by officials from the Parliament Buildings, and Major G. G. Aitken, chief geographer, showed the visitors over the fine map collection at the department.

AT GONZALES

Dr. J. J. Shaw, manufacturer and inventor of seismographs, visited the Gonzales Observatory yesterday, and was shown round the building by F. Walper Denison, the superintendent. He was much interested to learn from Mr. Denison how the instruments from his factory were operating, and how the Observatory was assembling its records. Two instruments made by him are in use at Gonzales Observatory.

A TURBINE STORY

Does intellect run in families? Such a question would be answered in the affirmative in the case of some members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science. Sir Charles Parsons, inventor of the Parsons turbine, is believed to be the only case on record where a father and son have reached the presidency of this famous body. His father, the third Earl of Rosse, was the maker of the famous Rosse telescope which was the marvel of the early part of the nineteenth century, yesterday Sir Charles Parsons looked through the telescope at Saanich Hill. His father's marvel was a very different thing to the wonderful glass at the Dominion Observatory. The Earl presided at the Cork meeting in the forties. Sir Charles reached the presidency in 1920 at Cardiff.

Before leaving the subject it may be remarked that Sir William Bragg, who is here with Lady Bragg and Miss Bragg, has a distinguished son, who with his father shared the Nobel prize in physics in 1915 for their work in X-rays, crystal structure and radio activity.

A good story is being told about Sir Charles Parsons, who expressed sufficient interest in the engine-room aboard the Cunard liner Caronia, in

which the party crossed the Atlantic, to be shown round by the engineer. When the steamer called at Father Point to pick up a pilot for the St. Lawrence, the engineer pointed to Sir Charles and asked who that man was. A railway representative enlightened him that his visitor was the inventor of the steam turbine.

Expressing his amazement, the engineer calculated that he had shown Sir Charles round and explained the turbine's mechanism to him!

One of the best informants in Canada, perhaps in the Empire, is with the British Association party, in the persons of Dr. James White, formerly deputy head of the commission of conservation of Canada, whose knowledge of the geography of this country is unrivalled.

The veteran of the gathering is Sir George Greenhill, sole survivor of the first British Association meeting outside the British Isles, which was held at Montreal during the summer of 1870. It was reported to have been lost soon after the steamer reached Quebec, and eventually it was ascertained that he had proceeded direct from Montreal to Toronto.

PARTIES IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Sectional excursions to points and districts of scientific interest are the outstanding features of the programme for the visiting British scientists to-day. The party is scheduled to leave at an early hour Wednesday morning for Glacier, Lake Louise and Banff.

Two botanical trips started this morning. Professor A. H. Hutchinson led a party to Hollyburn Ridge, while another group is studying the flora on the Fraser delta under the leadership of Professor John Davidson.

Another section interested in mining and the paper manufacturing industry, took a steamer to the Britannia Mines and Mill Creek pulp mills. The party is to be conducted by Professor Schofield and Professor Christie under the auspices of the Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

PREMIER HAPPY ON RETURN FROM NELSON TRIUMPH

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session discussing in a chatty way the incidents of Nelson.

"One thing that pleases me now that it is over is that we have no regrets," the Premier said. "We didn't say anything nasty or spiteful, we have not left any soreness behind us."

The Premier did not explain it, but his remark was interpreted to refer to such things as the horse broke in good taste and breeding at the opening of his campaign, which was charged against Mr. Pooley, just as he was starting out as new Conservative leader.

"One feature of the campaign was the very adroit way in which General McRae with his Third Party succeeded in pushing into the background Harry Pooley, who was there as the new Conservative leader," the Premier said.

The impression in the minds of those who were at Nelson was that from his actions General McRae might be regarded as the Conservative leader, ignoring and stepping right over Mr. Pooley, the Premier explained.

CABINET RECONSTRUCTION

Cabinet reconstruction is the first big problem facing the Premier now that the general election is finally over, and the Government able to get down to business.

This question will not be dealt with definitely for a day or so until the return to Victoria of Hon. Wm. Sloan and Hon. W. H. Sutherland, it was understood at the Parliament Buildings to-day.

"We'll get down to cabinet reconstruction in due course," the Premier said to-day.

It is believed that the question will likely be decided, temporarily, at least, by Saturday, as the Hon. John Hart is anxious to be relieved from his office of Minister of Finance by the end of the month, so that he can move to Vancouver without further delay.

BUSY TO-DAY

The Premier spent most of the morning before the public opening and reading telegrams and letters of congratulations on his being back in the saddle. The telegrams alone, when spread out, formed a pile two inches deep. They came from all parts as far away as Pouce Coupe.

The Premier said that judging from opinions expressed the election Saturday will be widespread throughout the Province.

The Premier was accorded a rousing reception when he stepped out of the train in Vancouver last night on his way to Victoria. More than 2,000 persons assembled to cheer him.

"One of my most active opponents told me the night of the election, 'Congratulations! We did our damndest to stop you, but we could not do it.' Mr. Oliver told the crowd from his improvised rostrum in the station.

"My delight in seeing this big assemblage of the citizens of Vancouver here to-night, is only exceeded by the enjoyment in the streets of Nelson on Saturday night," he continued.

"We had a peculiar situation in Nelson. When the Conservative leader appeared, he was doubtful about his duties and hesitated about supporting the candidate. It took him two days to decide, and when he did his duties and his activities were completely overshadowed by another leader, who came in late in the campaign and pushed the official Conservative leader into the background.

"And I now see that Mr. Cruise, of the Provincial party, says the Conservative and Provincial parties have enough in common to build a platform upon which both those leaders can stand. There is a warning there for the Liberal party.

"The result in Nelson is gratifying, especially in that it shows that the people of British Columbia are tired of all this party strife, of all this abuse and criticism. What they want is for their representatives to get down to the business of government."

BODY OF MAN RECOVERED FROM HARBOR

(Continued from page 1)

J. A. McCrimmon, proprietor of the Ritz Rooms on Fort Street, states that Gleeson did not sleep in his room last night, and was only missed this morning, when it was discovered that the bed in the room had not been slept in.

TIME WATCH STOPPED

Indicating that the man had been immersed but a short time is the fact that the water had scarcely begun to work its way through the cover of the watch carried by the unfortunate man.

The watch stopped at 5.56. Attached to the watch by a gold chain was a locket containing the picture of a small white dog. On the face of the locket was the inscription

"Presented to John Gleeson by the Old Time Citizens of Deloraine," while the reverse face had on its initials "J.G." entwined.

The finding of the body was reported to the city police at 8 o'clock this morning. The remains were taken from the water near Laurel Point at what is known as Armstrong's landing, in the Inner Harbor. It took the united effort of Sergeant Heatley, Constable Walton and Patrol Driver Jones to get the body to the shore.

The body is described as that of a short stout man, weighing in the neighborhood of 200 pounds, height about 5 feet 8 inches. The top of the head is bald, and the face clean shaven. No bruises, cuts or other marks of violence were noted on the body.

The remains were clothed in a blue serge suit, with dark colored four-in-hand tie, black laced boots, and dark colored thin socks. Nothing of special significance was found

in the pockets, and no money of any kind.

In the pockets of the clothing were two jack knives, a key ring with six keys, all small; a folding leather purse, empty, and with the words "Lorne Gleason, 2563, Blenheim Street," written in ink. A glass case, bearing the name of a local optician, a pair of gold rimmed spectacles with the right eye hook broken off short, and a dozen business cards completed the material of the pockets.

The cards bore varied names and business addresses, as if they had been collected by the man in the course of his business dealings. They bore addresses of real estate firms at Brandon, Manitoba, at Vancouver, and some from Victoria. A card of the Lincoln Rooms of this city bore the address "Mrs. Lucy Gleason, care of Mrs. Pullen, R.M.D. 1."

The body was taken to the McCalla Funeral premises where arrangements for an inquest are under way.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will not be as many exhibits at the Country Fair at St. Columba Church as there were at the Willows, but the welcome will be just as large.

The Vogue School of Millinery now open for Fall season. Phone 2589 Y.

Ask your grocer for Mollybrook Creamery butter, quality guaranteed.

Butter—Insist on the best local fresh made Salt Spring Island creamery.

Razor Blades Resharpened—F. D. Cox, 627 Fort Street.

Notice to Housewives—Buy Freestone Preserving Peaches now. Later arrivals will likely be higher in price.

Greatest Sale of Men's and Young Men's Clothing Ever Put On Starts Thursday Morning Next

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Sale Price \$34.75

OVERCOATS

New Overcoats, values \$30.00. Sale Price	\$19.75	New Overcoats, values \$35.00. Sale Price	\$24.75
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New Overcoats, values \$40.00
Sale Price \$29.75

New Odd Pants

Values \$4.50 Sale Price	\$3.75	Values \$6.50 Sale Price	\$4.90
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SLEEPING MAN WAS PLANE'S PASSENGER

Sergt. Andrews, Maj. MacLaren's Companion, Was Carried While Ill

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—A pile of damage back of the main cockpit of an aeroplane speeding through dense fog that shrouded a stretch of barren island dotted ocean was the hospital bed of Sergeant Andrews, mechanic of the party of British aviators at-

tempting to fly around the world, after he had been taken ill at Petro-pavlov.

The story came out here yesterday when the aviators were relating their experience to Major Frederick L. Martin, former commander of the United States world aeroplanes. When the time came to leave the small North Pacific port, Sergeant Andrews was suffering from the effects of sunstroke received at Hongkong. There was no time to waste as weather conditions that day were better than usual. Sergeant Andrews, with a temperature of 105, was carried down to the machine and placed on the tent and other camping equipment at his own request and the party took off. The machine had not been in the air long before Major MacLaren and Flight Officer Plendleth, looking back at their patient,

found him quite comfortable on the improvised bed, and fast asleep.

AUTOMOBILE WHEEL CAME OFF AND GIRL INSTANTLY KILLED

Quebec, Aug. 26.—Miss Marguerite Enmond, twenty-two, daughter of ex-Alderman Joseph E. Enmond, was instantly killed and four persons were injured last night when a rear wheel of an automobile being driven by Honorius Lemieux came off and the machine turned turtle. The car was proceeding at a very slow speed. It was brought out at the inquest today, when a verdict of accidental death was returned.

MEN WANTED FOR BASIC INDUSTRIES

In Montreal Premier King Tells of Canada's Need of Immigrants

Supports Hushion's Candidacy; Platform Collapsed During Meeting

Montreal, Aug. 26.—Premier King and Hon. P. J. A. Carlin, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, addressed a mass meeting here last night in the interests of Alderman W. J. Hushion, Liberal candidate for the House of Commons in the by-election in the St. Antoine Division of Montreal.

PLATFORM COLLAPSED
An incident of the meeting was the collapse of the platform on which Mr. King and between forty and fifty others were seated.

Alderman Hushion was speaking when there was a loud noise of rending timbers. Those on the platform disappeared from view as the floor collapsed, and a canopy fringed with electric lights away and collapsed in turn. The Premier was drenched with water from a jug on the speakers' table. A cry of horror went up as he disappeared, but cheers sounded when it was seen Mr. King had risen to his feet and was brushing off the water. Mr. Carlin was assisted to his feet and shortly the meeting was under way again.

REDUCED TAXATION

The Premier dealt with questions of reduced taxation and lower cost of living. He pointed out that the one way to attain the latter aim was to help to reduce the cost of production in the great basic industries of Canada.

The Premier, explaining economies of production, declared he had sought to remove taxation on the implements of production necessary to the development of the great basic industries of agriculture, mining and fishing. His Government had removed such taxation, believing it to be a form of tax on capital which helped to increase the cost of production.

IMMIGRATION POLICY

Talking of immigration, Mr. King said that what was wanted was a policy that would attract immigrants to the land, to the fisheries, or as pioneers in the forests, not the sort that would bring thousands of men to compete in the factories and workshops. He reiterated that his policy would do that. He was unable to understand, opposition to such a policy on the part of men who have really at heart the well-being of the nation, the well-being of the city. Because we say this Dominion does not belong to any financial group, does not belong to any specially favored manufacturing group or any specially favored group of any kind, but belongs to all men in manufacturing, in finance, in commerce and in industry, we want to serve the well-being of the country as a whole.

BETTER FINANCING

Dealing with the public finances, Premier King said that when his Government came into office it was confronted with a debt of \$2,240,000,000. After the war and demobilization that debt had been increased by the Meighen administration by \$2,000,000,000. In 1922 the debt had been further increased by \$1,000,000,000. In the following year, when the present Government was in office, the debt was increased only \$30,000,000, and in the following year, he said, "We were able to give the people of Canada a surplus instead of a deficit, changing a deficit of \$30,000,000 the previous year into a surplus of \$30,000,000."

RECEIPTS INCREASE

Total receipts in the first year of his Government had been \$281,000,000, and for the last fiscal year the receipts were \$396,000,000, and there had been a considerable increase of exports over imports also, the excess rising from \$4,000,000 in 1921-22 to \$165,000,000 last year.

INCREASED GERMAN FOUR DUTIES SOON

Bill Just Passed Gives Government Power to Raise Import Rates

London, Aug. 26 (Canadian Press Cable).—Some disquiet has been created here by a bill passed by the German Council of State giving the Government the right to impose such duties as it thinks fit on imported flour and agricultural products generally. It is believed this may result in discrimination against foreign flours.

The bill obviously has been brought forward to placate the agricultural interests and help to secure their support in passing the bills necessary to carry out the provisions contained in the Dawes report.

German millers have taken advantage of the present conditions to press for a high duty on flour, but without success apparently until the opposition to the decision of the conference in London has made it necessary for further concessions being made to the Nationalist element.

OF INTEREST TO AUTO TOURISTS

In arranging your Summer trip, you will be pleased to learn that effective July 2, there will be two sailings of the Motor Princess between Bellingham and Sidney, leaving Sidney for Bellingham at 10.45 a.m. and 6.10 p.m., from Bellingham to Sidney at 7 a.m. and 1 p.m., daily, including Sunday.

If you have not made the circuit, which you can do by also including the trip between Vancouver and Nanaimo, with sailings from Vancouver at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars), 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. (for smaller cars), daily except Sunday; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars). From Nanaimo to Vancouver at 7 a.m. daily except Sunday and Monday (for small cars), 2 p.m. daily except Sunday (for small cars), 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. (for all-sized cars) daily, including Sunday.

IS READY TO OUST ALL KLAN MEMBERS

Mrs. Ferguson, Nominee For Governor of Texas, States Determination

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 26.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, chosen in the primary election as Democratic candidate for the post of Governor of Texas, yesterday termed her triumph a blow to the Ku Klux Klan throughout the United States, in a statement in which she announced that all Klan officers would be ousted from their positions following her election.

If elected she would be the first woman governor of any state in the Union.

"Ma" Ferguson conducted a strenuous campaign. Her supporters adopted the slogan, "Ma for us," while her opponents, mostly Klansmen, retaliated by posting stickers reading "No Ma for us."

NAME VINDICATED

In addition to her anti-Klan stand, Mrs. Ferguson sought the nomination as a vindication of her family name. Her husband was impeached for the improper use of state funds when he was Governor of Texas seven years ago. He has always maintained his innocence and has sought office again in every election held in the state. It was discovered the state law prevented his election to any state office because of the impeachment against him and Mrs. Ferguson decided to run in his stead. He conducted a speaking campaign on his wife's behalf.

MANY HOUSE PARTIES ON LONG ISLAND

Great Social Activity Will Mark Period of Prince of Wales' Visit

New York, Aug. 26. (Canadian Press).—The coming of the Prince of Wales to the United States, from all the fashionable summer resorts, Newport, Southampton and Narragansett Pier being deserted in the social rush.

Never have there been so many late house parties as are now scheduled for the vicinity of Syosset and the Piping Rock Country Club, near where the Prince will stay during the international polo matches on Long Island. It is expected every home in the vicinity of Syosset will be entertaining guests to its full capacity when Great Britain's "Prince Charming" arrives.

LISTS IN PAPERS

The newspapers to-day carry long lists of prominent society leaders who are returning from the watering places and establishing themselves in their Long Island homes.

It was announced to-day that plans for the entertainment of the Prince include a house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carver in Locust Valley during the week of the polo games. Mr. Carver was secretary to the United States Embassy in London several years ago and while there married Miss Helen Maxwell, daughter of General Sir John Maxwell, former commander of the British forces in Egypt.

TIMBER ROYALTY

INCREASE OPPOSED

Nelson, Aug. 26.—The Nelson Board of Trade last night adopted a resolution opposing any increase in the timber royalties such as the statute will bring into effect on January 1 next, and appointed J. R. Poole, its president, to present its views at the public hearing in Victoria, September 3.

Vancouver Island News

QUARTERLY MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE

Duncan District Organization to Meet in Cobble Hill Hall

Roads Were Discussed at Branch Meeting Held at Shawnigan Lake

Special to The Times

Shawnigan Lake.—At the monthly meeting of the Shawnigan and Cobble Hill branch of the Duncan Board of Trade, held in the S.L.A.A. Hall, Lt.-Col. F. E. Oldham was in the chair. Those present were: J. Rathbone, E. M. Walbank, F. T. Elford, Ray Elford, G. A. Cheeke, Col. Cardly Wilmot and S. J. Head.

A resolution was passed and sent to R. H. Pooley, M.P.P.-elect, asking why that portion of the Island Highway from the water-tough at Mill Bay to behind Cobble Hill north was in worse condition than any other part of the whole road.

It was declared to be in a shocking condition, needing immediate attention.

The question of continuing a subdivision road, named Station Road, a portion of which has already been graded, so as to give access to the south end of the station at Shawnigan was taken up, and a committee appointed to interview the Works Department and at the same time press for crossings of the railway at a point near the mill and at the south end of the station platform, and request a public landing there for residents of the west side of the lake and for general public convenience.

G. A. Cheeke called attention to the Fall Fair to be held at Cobble Hill September 10 and asked for Shawnigan support.

QUARTERLY MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the Duncan Board will be held at Cobble Hill

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GROUP INSURANCE PLAN FOR 25,000

Northern Pacific Railway Announces Scheme of Benefit to Employees

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If an employee becomes totally and permanently disabled before becoming sixty years of age, the insurance will become payable at once.

IMPROVEMENT IN GRAIN AREAS NOTED

Regina, Aug. 26.—Rust is reported in a few districts in Saskatchewan, but there is very little damage apparent. Eastern and North-Portar appear to be the worst sufferers, according to telegraphic reports received to-day from crop correspondents by the statistic branch of the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

The wheat stem sawfly has done some damage in some districts.

While the best crops are still to be found in the southern part of the province, there has been a marked improvement in the crops in eastern, central and northern districts, and some fair yields are expected.

REGATTA A SUCCESS

Those whose efforts helped make the annual Shawnigan Lake Regatta last week the great success it was have been freely congratulated. The committee on land sports was composed of J. Beech, chairman, H. Hawkins, H. Dyson, J. Finlay, G. Lloyd, Ray Elford and W. Carter. The water sports committee was composed of Col. Eardley Wilmot, P. F. Elford, Sam Finley, Commander Kingscott, Syd Yates and H. Whyte. The chairman of the regatta was S. J. Head, secretary, E. M. Walbank, Captain H. R. Carver.

The local residents contributed freely in support of the regatta, as did also Victoria merchants and residents. Prizes were donated by the following: Dr. Lewis Hall, handsome cup; merchandise and cash from Shelly Bros., F. R. Stewart & Co., A. P. Slade & Co., Veiler Bros., Scott & Peden, A. Wenger, Bruckman & Ker, Bapco Paint Co., Jameon Coffee Co., Empress Mfg. Co., Walker Pearson Co., Ormond Co., Kelly Douglas Co., Helms Pickle Co., Vancouver Milling Co., Lake of Woods Co., E. G. Prior & Co., National Drug Co., Smith, Davidson & Wright, Kent Music Co., Fairall Soda Water Co., P. Burns Co., Turner Beeton Co., and several Vancouver Houses.

ENJOYABLE DANCE

In the evening the annual regatta dance took place. Miss Thain's three-piece orchestra provided excellent music. Upward of 200 attended. Several parties motored up from Victoria, while all points north as far as Wellington were represented.

During the evening, Mr. Ditchburn, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, presented the cups won and addressed each recipient, complimenting them on their prowess.

Mr. Ditchburn, having been an athlete himself, understood the proud feelings of the victors.

The regatta committee wishes to thank all who in any way contributed to the success of the nineteenth annual Shawnigan regatta.

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On Wednesday Morning we will make a final clearance of Girls' Gingham Dresses. The prices are so greatly cut that it will pay you to buy freely while the opportunity offers.

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CORSETS—D & A back-lacing of heavy white coutil, four strong hose supporters, elastic top and medium bust, rust-proof boning, sizes 21 to 27, to clear at.....**\$1.00**

GOWNS—Ladies' Crepe Nightgowns in orchid, pink and blue, trimmed with contrasting shades, to clear.....**\$1.25**

BUCKET SETS—In white and oyster linen, neat designs. Special for Wednesday only.....**39c**

COMBINATIONS—Ladies' Lisle Combinations, no sleeves and wide knee; also short sleeves and wide knee; sizes 36 to 38. Regular to \$1.50, to clear.....**95c**

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CHILDREN'S HOSE—Cotton Hose in black, white and brown; all sizes. Regular to 75c. Special.....**49c**

BLOUSES—Crepe de Chine Overblouses, some with bead trimming, round neck and short sleeves, also Peter Pan collars and long sleeves; in shades of sand, flesh and navy. This is a rare opportunity to purchase blouses selling regular up to \$12.50 for.....**\$5.90**

UNDERSKIRTS—Ladies' Underskirts of floral moirette, in shades of grey, rose, sage, brown and black. Deep knife pleated frill. Specially priced at.....**\$2.90**

GLOVES—English Duplex Gauntlets, strap and dome pique sewn in black, white, natural, pastel, nigger, beaver and grey; sizes 6, 7, 7½.....**\$1.50**

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MISS STEWART'S DEPARTURE

WHEN Miss Helen Stewart was appointed to the important position of librarian at the Victoria public library more than thirteen years ago the reading public of this neighborhood experienced a sense of gratification that an official trained in the business would henceforward direct the activities of the institution. The book lover in general and the student in particular recognized in this new departure a step in the direction of better organization and a more efficient service.

Plenty of material may be discovered in the numerous official reports which have been filed with the City Council during the interval which has elapsed since 1911 to prove that the engagement which was entered into at that time was an exceedingly wise one. To pay the most simple compliment to Miss Stewart and to the efficient staff with which she has surrounded herself is to say that the public library of this city has reached that stage of efficiency which has made it a branch of the civic service about which nothing but compliments are heard.

It is very true that if Miss Stewart had had almost unlimited capital with which to replenish its shelves more often than is at present possible even more might be said in praise of the assistance and pleasure which the institution provides. But libraries, like many other departments associated with local government, are compelled to recognize the existence of the municipal treasury and conduct their business according to the means at their disposal. Such financial handicaps as have had to be imposed, however, have furnished Miss Stewart with ample opportunity to demonstrate her library genius. How successful she has done so is reflected in the general regret at the loss which the city is sustaining by her resignation.

It can be said of Miss Stewart that she worked all her waking hours. The library has been both means of livelihood and absorbing hobby. But her duties there have not isolated her from the realm of community service. All matters of progress and every movement concerning the welfare of the district have found in her an enthusiastic worker, and her removal from the city will be keenly felt by numerous organizations to whom she lent her willing assistance. The Times, in wishing her still greater success in any sphere she may choose to continue her studies, hopes that Victoria is not to be a permanent loser by her choice.

CANADA'S PULP AND PAPER

CANADA'S pulp and paper industry is growing from year to year and there is no reason why British Columbia should not look forward to a continual increase in production as the outside demand extends. While it is true that the output for the whole of the Dominion reached its maximum in 1920, and that there was a falling off in 1921, it is satisfactory to note that the figures for 1922 and 1923 are much more encouraging and show substantial increases.

According to statistics published by the official bureau in Ottawa there were 110 mills in operation in 1923, as compared with 104 in 1922 and 100 in 1921. The total number of employees in 1923 was 29,179, and the payroll was \$38,305,157, a decided improvement over 1922, when there were 25,830 employees and a payroll of \$32,918,955. The exports of wood pulp for 1923 were 873,359 tons, valued at \$47,027,496, an increase of nearly \$6,000,000 in value over the previous year. The exports of paper and paper goods in 1923 were valued at \$93,770,057, as compared with \$74,825,893 in 1922.

It is also true, of course, that Quebec and Ontario lead the rest of the provinces in the matter of production of pulp and paper; at the same time the future holds bright prospects for British Columbia. Investigations which have been carried on during the last few years bid fair to result in the establishment of two or three new mills at no very distant date.

How the business has grown in Ontario is reflected in the fact that more than \$204,000,000 now represents the total investment in the industry in that Province. This outlay now supports 14,079 employees and involves a payroll of \$17,245,376 and the value of pulp manufactured was \$33,481,035, and of the paper, \$57,162,775. Time should not be far distant when British Columbia's figures will be quoted closer to the leading producer than is now possible. This Province has more timber than Sweden and has only four mills to Sweden's 200.

TWO YOUNG BRITISHERS

IN his editorial in the Hearst newspapers yesterday Mr. Arthur Brisbane tells the people of the United States that two young men are on their way to the neighboring republic; one is the Prince of Wales and the other is the son of the Prime Minister of Great Britain. He asks which of the two will attract the more attention—"the son of a working man, whose courage and genius have made him Prime Minister and the real ruler of the British

Empire, or the son of King George, who owes everything he has to accident of birth."

Of course the Prime Minister is not the ruler of the British Empire, nor is he a horny-handed son of toil in the accepted sense of the term; but every healthy American will welcome both of them with the good comradeship which existed between the British and American troops in France. Americans made a great fuss of the heir to the British throne when he visited the United States in 1919 and where opportunity presents he will once more receive the plaudits of the American people—not only for personal reasons but also because he represents the titular head of the other part of the Anglo-Saxon family. He is the symbol of a system which suits the British Empire; apart from that both he and the Prime Minister's son can lay claim to being clean-cut young men. As such they will attract attention.

THE SENIOR GOLFERS MEET

THERE was a time when the sceptic of early middle age was wont to say that golf was an old man's game. And the youth of the period took no pains to hide its disdain for a pastime which involved the hitting of a little round ball and its continual chase round about 120 acres of what it considered should be either pasture or wheat land.

These days have gone for ever. That is to say, the royal and ancient pastime is no longer regarded as the special prerogative of the gentleman of very mature years. Youth long ago demanded and has firmly grabbed its share of the conquest over Colonel Bogey. The tournament of to-day finds the strippling and the veteran paired together in the medal round and at grips in the championship flight. There was even money on the Taylors of the fifties and the Hagens of the twenties in the British open event a few weeks ago. The "old man" turned in the lowest score on the first day of medal play. The "youngster" took the emblem of victory with the last stroke on the day of the final test. Youth endured.

To-day in Victoria, however, the members of the Northwest Senior's Golf Association are revelling in their original exclusiveness at the beautiful course of the Colwood Golf and Country Club. For four days the "veterans" of fifty-five years and over will do battle against their old and honored foe. At some he will grin in triumph; to others who more successfully remember the three cardinal points of golf he will be less formidable; to all he will remain the symbol of a pleasant philosophy which teaches good sportsmanship.

Great Britain's former hangman tried to commit suicide yesterday. He followed a calling scarcely likely to produce an enthusiastic outlook on life.

Mr. Lloyd George says money talked at the recent International Conference. He ought to know its ways now that he is a full time "special correspondent."

Premier Oliver will now be in a position to go ahead with his freight rates fight and the Government will be able to get down to the important business of governing with the knowledge that further political dislocation will not interfere for some time to come.

If the members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science had known more about Victoria before they came here it is safe to say that more than a day and a night would have been allocated to the extreme point of their western itinerary.

One of the speakers at the banquet given in honor of the visiting scientists last night said that Victoria could reckon on more than one of the younger members of the party becoming Canadian citizens before many years had passed. There is no occasion to say "come early and avoid the crush," but it is satisfactory to remember that these men will be immigration agents for Canada when they get back to their native land.

BLAMING OTTAWA ONTO ALBERTA

From the Toronto Globe.
Ontario will have no coal from Alberta next Winter. Parliament voted money to assist the movement, but the Dominion and Alberta Governments have fallen down on the job.

FIRE AT SEA

From the British Commercial News.
Owing to the large number of oil-fuel-fired ships the question of using wooden lifeboats for such vessels has been much discussed lately, and it is thought the tendency will undoubtedly be towards supplying steel lifeboats so as to avoid the danger of fire.

AMERICAN PROGRESS

From Mr. Ford's Page in The Dearborn Independent.
Nothing can stop the United States because it knows where it is going and its progress brings no loss to any worthy thing. Some gains are bought at cost of increased poverty among the people, or degradation of the common life. But American progress has decreased the sum of evil, and is so distributed that it touches every individual and family with its benefits. Sometimes carping criticism had better give way to computation of gains; some times we should make a survey of the whole state of the union. When we do we see that for a quarter of a century, in any region we may name, the trend of the nation has been steadily upward. The broader view, the combined account, shows every one of us to be profit-sharers in the most successful group experience in human history.

DREAMS

Dreams so soft, so lifting, tender,
Shining, drifting, fragment things,
They are all that life can render,
All that thrills in me and sings.
Dreams so fleeting, sweet and hurting,
Dreams that sigh and steal away,
Can I hold you—still asserting
You are mine through night and day?
Can I hold you still forgetting
Things of stark and cruel things,
Things that pierce the heart with fretting—
Can I hold you in my breast?
Dreams so soft, so lifting, tender,
Shining, drifting, fragment things—
May I keep them, O Great Ruler,
In my far and wandering.
—Peter Pan.

Dr. Frank Crane on "Falling in Love"

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FALLING in love is one of the unaccountable phenomena of the human race. The Orientals explain it by claiming that we have had a previous existence and that those in the present existence touch us who have some hold on us due to a life that is past.

Whether we accept this explanation or not there is no doubt that falling in love is one of the inexplicable peculiarities of our race.

It is connected also with the creative instinct and it is safe to say that those who are not capable of falling in love with anything are not capable of creative work either in the liberal arts or elsewhere.

It is a well known fact that many famous men have been reputed famous lovers; this has been set down in their disfavor as proving that they were loose morally when, as a matter of fact, morals had nothing to do with it.

Love was simply an essential demand of their nature. They had to be in love with something in order to do their best work. Much of the vagaries of those who have achieved fame can be thus explained.

It is not that they lack a sense of the responsibilities of life, or that they are not willing to undertake them, but that they need for their sustenance an enthusiasm that is only bred in them by the presence of affection.

It is a mistake to think that any person is too old to need the fire given him by love. While there is life there is love, or should be. It is well for those who are not so endowed with the capacity for affection, if they are also with those moral inhibitions which prevent them from indulging their capacity in forbidden directions.

It would be well also for the friends of great men to remember this need of their nature and to feed it properly.

The constant atmosphere of negation, and fire that is suppressed in one direction will break out in another.

Relief of Fort Detroit

COLONEL BRADSTREET, who had made a reputation for himself during the Seven Years' War by his sudden dash from the southern end of Lake George and the capture in 1758 of Fort Frontenac, the important French post which stood where Kingston, Ontario, stands to-day, was sent in the Spring of 1764 in command of an expedition to relieve the British in Fort Detroit, and to force the submission of all the revolting Indian tribes of the Upper Lakes. This was the second year of the great Indian rising throughout the western wilderness, known as Pontiac's War.

Through the terrible previous year only four British garrisons had held out against the sudden treacherous attacks of the savages, and hundreds of British soldiers with their officers had been butchered or tortured, and children of settlers and settlers' wives and children had fallen beneath the tomahawk or been carried into a miserable captivity. General Sir Jeffrey Amherst, who had received the surrender-in-chief in America, had wofully misgauged the seriousness of the whole affair, and had refused to take the measures necessary to deal with the situation, though he had been given warning enough of the danger, warning which he had consistently treated with contempt.

General Amherst, at his own request, was relieved of his command in November, 1763, and General Gage succeeded him. Now, early in 1764, the first really effective measure was taken to restore British control and to restore British prestige which had fallen very low among the Indians far and wide in the preceding months. Colonel Bouquet was advancing from Fort Pitt, now the city of Pittsburgh in Pennsylvania, through the Ohio Valley, and one Bradstreet was subordinate to him and was to parallel his advance. Colonel Bradstreet had been an excellent officer under strict command and with detailed orders to carry out. He showed himself quite incompetent, however, when allowed to act with any degree of independence. Starting with twelve hundred men, he proceeded up the Mohawk River and down the Onondaga into Lake Ontario and along the southern shore to Fort Niagara, standing on the eastern point at the mouth of the Niagara River, on the site of the present United States Fort Niagara. Here he found a vast concourse of savages from the west and north, some even from beyond the Mississippi and from the shores of Hudson Bay. Sir William Johnson, the Superintendent for Indian Affairs, was holding a conference with them and concluding a treaty of peace with the representatives of each tribe separately. Colonel Bradstreet kept his force under canvas close by the fort, and on August 6, then, having had his boats laboriously hauled up the heights at Lewiston, dragged overland and reloaded at Fort Schlosser, a few miles above Niagara Falls, he started on up the Niagara River on August 8.

FORCED ashore near Presque Isle on the south coast of Lake Erie on August 12 by a storm, Bradstreet met some Delaware and Shawanese Indians who were deputies for their people with authority to conclude a peace. Bradstreet, in foolish haste to anticipate Colonel Bouquet, believed them, notwithstanding the fact that they were not equipped with the usual belts of wampum to seal a treaty. He made an agreement with their warriors were raiding moment some of the Delaware and Shawanese English settlements far to the southeast, while others roamed the western tribes stirring them to concerted action again this year against the English. Colonel Bradstreet then sent a message advising his superior, Colonel Bouquet of what he had done and informing him that it was superfluous for him, Bouquet, to advance further. The latter was very angry, repudiated the treaty, as did General Gage, and continued his forward movement.

Farther westward, at Andusky, Colonel Bradstreet spared the Indian villages which he had been ordered to destroy, and concluded a peace also with the Wyandots, Ottawas and Minnis he found there. Moreover, he rashly sent an envoy into the interior of the Illinois country, who was very roughly handled before he had proceeded far, and after several extremely narrow escapes from torture and death, returned to Detroit in September in a state of utter exhaustion.

It was on August 26 that Colonel Bradstreet's flotilla, moving up the Detroit River, at last came before Fort Detroit, which saluted with all its cannon, while the garrison lined the walls and madly cheered for joy, and the Indians from the surrounding villages shot away prodigious quantities of ammunition in an insincere welcome. The garrison had been cooped up here for nearly a year and a half, always in danger, often attacked, constantly compelled to be on the alert. The provisions had been scanty and the tension high, but they were replaced by fresh men and for the first time since the outbreak knew rest and security.

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ANTHROPOLOGISTS SEE ABORIGINES

Professor J. L. Myres, One of the General Secretaries, Heads Party

Departments of the conditions of Canada's native Indian tribes will likely result from the renewed interest of the British Association for the Advancement of Science now on its fourth tour of Canada.

A distinguished anthropologist, headed by Professor J. L. Myres, of Oxford University, and guided by Dr. Harlan I. Smith, of the Victoria Museum, paid a visit to a colony of fifty Squamish Indians in North Vancouver yesterday. The Indians are all pure bred, and occupy the site which their race has held for countless years. There are only 40 survivors of the race at present, and the group at Capilano is one of the largest. The natives are obviously suffering from their proximity to, and attempts to copy the whites, the scientists felt.

On the three previous occasions when the British association visited Canada attention was paid to native tribes, and the body succeeded in impressing the Government with the importance of maintaining the rapidly decaying culture, and the research supported originally by the association was taken over by the geological survey. Much remains to be done, however, and the anthropologists who inspected the remnants of the Squamish nation yesterday afternoon expressed themselves critical of conditions which they found in a report issued to the Canadian Press.

The question has been dragging on for thirty years, and it is time that a firmer policy were adopted. It is declared Prof. Myres, who arrived in Victoria to-day. The question of the protection of the Indians is not only of tremendous scientific importance, but it has deep economic significance. "It is doubtful whether it is either feasible or wise to encourage the fusion of the natives with the white race," Dr. Myres stated. That the various tribes should have facilities for preserving their ancestral customs and practices in some locality where use could be made of the talents which are native with the Indian, was his suggestion.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legible. The longer an article the shorter the chance of its appearing. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not the name of the contributor. The publication or non-publication of articles is a matter entirely at the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

FISHING

To the Sports Editor:—Here is a real catch at Cowichan Bay for one man in a rowboat with light tackle and caught on rod in two-and-a-half hours: Frank Harrison caught a forty-two-pound salmon in twenty-eight minutes from the time the fish was hooked. He also caught a twenty-one-pound and a twelve-pound fish in above time. I read your story of the catch at Brentwood. It took three men to pull the fish in, and a sinker and a gasboat to take them around.

Now, Mr. Editor, we do not call this a "big catch." We think a kind of fishing "sport." We think a few lessons in real angling should be taken, and then it would help to teach the public to conserve the fish for future generations. None of our governments will attempt to conserve salmon until there is none to conserve. The sockeye salmon has been finished in the Fraser by the traps and purse seine nets, and if the public allow the fisher to run as they are now there won't be a salmon in a few years' time.

F. SAUNDERS, Cowichan Bay.

The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 26—5 a.m.—The barometer remains low over Northern B.C. accompanied by rain, and a warm weather extends from Vancouver Island eastward to Manitoba.

Reports
Victoria—Barometer, 30.07; temperature, maximum yesterday, 69; minimum, 56; wind, calm; weather, making rain. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, making rain. Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, fair. Barkerville—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, rain.

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SCIENTISTS GUESTS GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Lieutenant-Governor Host at Delightful Garden Party Yesterday

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entertained the members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science and the International Mathematical Congress at a garden party at Government House yesterday afternoon. When about 60 members of the Victoria branch of the Royal Astronomical Society were invited to meet the distinguished guests.

His Honor, who was attended by Mr. H. J. S. Muskett, received his guests on the lawn before the Summer house, in which delicious tea was served to the visitors. After the formal presentations the visitors wandered over the beautiful grounds, examining with admiration at the magnificent panorama of sea and mountain to be obtained from the terrace, and revelling in the view of the general lawn, fine trees and wealth of flowers after their long journey. Throughout the afternoon the Fifth Regiment Band played a well-chosen programme on the lower lawn, the music adding much to the attractiveness of the affair.

NOTED SAVANTS WELCOMED AT CIVIC BANQUET

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westward, a circumstance which he attributed to prevalence in the west of Scotland, "who are of course noted throughout the world for their generosity."

MUCH OF INTEREST

Throughout the whole of their trip through the Dominion the various sections of the party had found much to interest them. At every stopping place, the botanists had hopped from the train to collect specimens of flora; the zoologists had armed themselves with nets and gone in search of butterflies and insects, while the psychologists had given much time and thought to musing over the increase in lavish hospitality which marked their journey westward to whom Sir David commended as a solution of the prevalence of Scotsmen in the West.

APPRECIATE WELCOME

Many references to the visitors' appreciation of their warm welcome to Canada, was made by Professor Donnay who spoke of the beauties of "this edge of the Empire" which marked the turning-point of their trip. The speaker thought the time was imminent when they of England would realize that England represented but a small portion of a vast Commonwealth.

NAVIGATION PROBLEMS

One of the scientific nature was made by F. E. Smith of London, who touched upon the assistance given to navigation problems, particularly in regard to the mercantile marine, by research work at the Admiralty.

A cordial welcome to the International Mathematical Congress was extended by R. C. Nicholson, who proposed the toast in the unavoidable absence of Professor E. H. Russell. The speaker reminded the scientists that Victoria boasted the possession of an observatory whose telescopic equipment was the finest in the British Empire, and indeed only eclipsed by one other in the world, while in Dr. Plaskett, its presiding genius, was one who had earned world-wide renown in astronomical research. Sir Charles Parsons, in replying to the toast, congratulated this city upon the possession of the wonderful fleet of steamships bearing the title of "Princesses." Sir Charles saw in the building of the drydock an indication of the day when Victoria would be one of the great industrial ports of the Empire, connecting the West with the Orient.

Professor Bjerkness of Norway added his thanks on behalf of the mathematicians, and in his few remarks congratulated Canada upon the number of its universities which he considered an excellent omen for the future.

Prior to the singing of the National Anthem, Dr. Plaskett extended an invitation to the guests to visit the Observatory at the conclusion of the dinner, an invitation which was readily accepted. Among those seated at the Mayor's table were: Major-General Sir David Bruce, president of the association, and Lady Bruce, Sir Charles Parsons and Lady Parsons, Prof. Eddington, Sir Richard Paget, Sir Wm. Bragg and Lady Bragg, O. J. R. Howarth, O.B.E., Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, and Mrs. Plaskett; Sir John Russell and Lady Russell, Lord Bledisloe, Sir Wm. Beveridge, director of the Dominion School of Economics, Prof. Bjerkness, Prof. Ronnessen, Prof. Schen, Prof. C. V. Ramon, F.R.S., Calcutta; B. C. Nicholson, Prof. Elliott, chairman of the local committee on arrangements; Dr. Ernest Hall, Dr. Keyes, representing the Victoria Medical Society; F. Napier Denison, chairman of the local Observatory; J. Duff, president of the Astronomical Society.

CHEMAINUS

Mrs. R. B. Hall had the hostess at a most delightful miscellaneous shower in compliment to Miss Gretta Dunne, whose marriage takes place in September. About thirty guests sat down to tea in the prettily decorated dining-room, after which the guest of honor was presented with a beautiful collection of gifts wheeled into the drawing-room in a gay wheelbarrow by Master Richmond Ross, attired in an old-fashioned costume. Among those present were: Mrs. C. W. Dunne, Miss Betty Dunne, Mrs. F. C. P. Williams-Presman, Miss Foster, Mrs. Hyle Parker, Mrs. Douglas Groves, Miss Lee, Mrs. R. Malinguy, Mrs. Fry, H. E. Donald, Mrs. P. J. Fry, Miss D. Bonde, Mrs. A. Work, Mrs. C. Cryer, Mrs. Galsford, Mrs. D. B. Ross, Mrs. R. Rivett-Carnac, Mrs. W. M. Casswell and others.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jarrett are spending a vacation in Vancouver, B.C. During Mr. Jarrett's absence Mr. Cecil Cunningham of Dunbar is acting as customs officer here.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. A. P. Carter of Port Alberni is a visitor in Victoria.

Mrs. Herbert Bolt has gone over to Vancouver and loco to spend a holiday.

Mrs. W. J. Mable and her daughter Loma left yesterday for two months' visit in the East.

Mrs. Walter Skett left Victoria today for Cross Island, where she will spend a vacation.

Mrs. Chas. Stewart of Stobart Building, has returned from a holiday trip up the island.

Mr. C. D. Agass of Vancouver is a visitor in Victoria and is a guest at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reis of Kamloops are visitors in Victoria and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mrs. W. Ham of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria and is a guest at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mr. Maurice Thomas, of Llewellyn, is visiting his brother, Mr. Llewellyn Thomas in Vancouver for a few days.

Miss Mary who has been spending a two weeks vacation at Mount Rainier, returned to Victoria yesterday.

Mrs. Powers Potts returned to the city today after spending the weekend at "Mallowmot." Saanich, as the guest of Mrs. Ponton.

Miss Allison of Seattle arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon and for a few days will be the guest of Miss Mary Lawson, Cook Street.

Mrs. Lipsett-Skinner has returned to the city after a brief holiday at Quilicum Beach and will return to Vancouver early in September.

Mrs. C. T. Rhodes and Miss Gilgot of Nelson have arrived in the city on a week's visit to their sister, Mrs. A. E. Pickford, 963 Heywood Avenue.

Mrs. J. Chisholm Fraser returned home a few days ago from New Westminster, where she was the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. M. English.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beckwith returned to their home on Fernwood Road yesterday afternoon after their enjoyable holiday in England and on the continent.

The many friends of Miss K. Hamer will be pleased to hear she is recovering favorably at the Jubilee Hospital, where she recently underwent a severe operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hobbs and Miss Gladys Robinson have arrived in the city from New Westminster to spend a holiday with Mr. Hobbs' mother at Cadboro Bay.

Hon. E. Burke-Roches and Mrs. Burke-Roches, Pemberton Road, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMaster of Portland, Ore., who are in the city for the Senior Golf Association tournament.

Mrs. Carew Gibson, of Vancouver, who has been visiting in Cranbrook, returned to the city yesterday. While in the city she is the guest of Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Newport Avenue.

Dainty colonial bouquets conveyed the greetings of the Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E. to the ladies of the British Association for the Advancement of Science on their arrival in the city yesterday. The flowers were placed in their rooms at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. W. A. Jameson, Mrs. D. Day and Miss Louise Moore were among the guests present at an elaborate reception given in Portland by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Spencer of that city in honor of Mr. Yeaman Griffith, the famous vocal pedagogue of New York. Mrs. Griffith and their daughters.

Mrs. E. Hammond King entertained at mah jong and bridge last evening at her home in the Collins Apartments. In honor of her daughter, Mrs. Cockburn of Honolulu. The guests included Mrs. P. A. E. Irving of Vancouver, Mrs. Landy, Miss Frances, Miss Angus, Miss Galletly, Miss May Keith (Vancouver), Miss Hamilton, Miss Helmsken, Miss Constance Heyland, Miss Dupont and Miss Newcombe.

Members of the Kumtiks Club were the guests of Miss Price at a most enjoyable picnic at her Summer home, "Vanguard," Prospect Lake, on Saturday afternoon, about twenty members and their friends accepting the hostess' kind invitation. The more energetic visitors enjoyed the bathing in the lake, and at 5 o'clock ample justice was given to an excellent supper. Saturday's picnic is the last of the Summer alfresco gatherings for the club this season.

Mrs. R. E. Webb and Miss Rose McKenna were joint hostesses at the former's home, 32 Stannard Avenue, on Saturday evening when they entertained at a handkerchief shower in honor of Miss Mary McKinnon. The dainty gifts were presented in the bride-elect in a bouquet of sweet peas. The guests included Mrs. J. Barton, Mrs. Frank South (California), Mrs. Robert Rolf, Miss Mary McKinnon, Miss Kasia Sobel, Mrs. Bernette McKinnon and Miss Vera Casey.

Among the local guests invited to last night's civic dinner for the visiting scientists were Alderman Andros, Capt. and Mrs. A. M. Aitken, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beckwith, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mrs. Baker, Miss Edith Alderman and Mrs. Christie, Rev. Robt. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Napier Denison, Mr. J. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe, Mayor and Mrs. Hayward, Alderman Harvey, Dr. E. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Mr. George Jay, Dr. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kernode, Mr. W. N. Kelly, Alderman and Mrs. Ker, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Litchfield, Alderman and Mrs. Marchant, Mr. D. P. W. Maunsel, B. C. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Nation, Mr. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs.

J. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Preston, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Plaskett, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Plaskett, Mr. E. H. P. Russell, Alderman and Mrs. Sargent, Mr. A. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. W. Schwengers, Alderman and Mrs. A. E. Todd, Alderman and Mrs. E. G. Woodward and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Willis.

One of the most delightful house dances of the season was that given by Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson of Newport Avenue last evening, in honor of their daughter, Frances Stewart, and their son, Jack Stewart. The reception rooms were effectively arranged with roses, mauve and pink sweet peas and ferns. Heaton's orchestra furnished the music for dancing. The guests included the Misses Evelyn, Nell, Kirkpatrick, Athalie Gibson, Jane Gibson, Doris Gibson, Helen McIntosh, Peggy Schofield, Betty Schofield, Mildred Mark, Enid Clark, Frances Bennett, Eileen Shaw, Patsy Heming, Anna McBride, Peggy Gourlay, Margaret Gallier, Elaine Gallier, John McKenna, Manninga Mayne, Douglas Sutherland, Nancy Ross, Connie Ross, Doris Pattullo, Patsy Robinson, Prudence Robinson, Mary Ross, Margaret Ross, Wynne Winsby, Kathleen Ross, Helen Hayward, Jo. Brandon, Mildred Phillipson, Millicent Umbach, Lorina Fleming, Phyllis Roberts, Messrs. Herchm, Vivida, Douglas, Messrs. Arthur Fell, Forbes McIntosh, Royden Morris, Edward Moore, Richard Moore, Kelly Heming, Cedric Walker, Blair Dixon, Bud Allen, Phil Willis, Ned Willis, Denis Hager, Phil Hager, Elisek Wilson, Bob Clark, Stanley Haines, Harold Haynes, Hugh Beck, Charles Gilman, Douglas Sutherland, John Bennett, Chris Ferriam, Chris Smythwaite, John Proctor, Gary Harris (Seattle), Dick Diespecker, John Behnert (Vancouver), Conway Parrot, Jimmie Cunningham, Tom Wilson, John Hodgson, Hodgson, Larry Henderson, Clifford Fraser, Mike Burns, Walter Fletcher, Donald Adams, Wm. Money, Ross and Hugo Jay (Vancouver).

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CHILD WELFARE WAS TOPIC OF LECTURE

Professor J. H. Burn of London, England, Speaker at Victoria College

An interested audience at the Victoria College last evening listened with much interest to an address on "The Health of Children," by Professor J. H. Burn of London, England, last evening.

Professor Burn, who is in Victoria with the British Association for the Advancement of Science, gave some interesting theories on dietetics for children, showing how effect health could be retained by proper, balanced diet.

Dr. Burn is in charge of research work at a tuberculosis sanatorium in London, and his lecture provided much food for thought along the lines of prevention of this and other diseases.

YOUR HEALTH

WHAT TO DO TO HELP A CHILD WHO STAMMERS

By Royal S. Copeland, M.D.

Those children or adults who are the victims of speech defects are often made miserable because of the unkindness of parents, brothers, sisters and friends. Not until recently did we understand that speech defects require the greatest consideration on the part of the family, as well as correction of the underlying conditions responsible for these defects. Stuttering or lipping usually occurs at an early age, particularly before the vocabulary is well-formed. This is the time to begin overcoming the condition. Some children and adults speak coherently and with ease until they become excited or upset by emotion. Then great difficulty is experienced

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TO PROCEED WITH GRADING WORK AT SPRING RIDGE PITS

Close Vote at Council Meeting on Proposal to Halt Work

Assurance Sought by Some Aldermen Memorial Committee Can Raise Funds

Whether the city should go ahead with the grading of Spring Ridge and pits at a cost of \$3,000 in view of the fact that the Rev. Stevenson Memorial Committee has given no assurance that it has raised the \$7,000 to be spent in constructing children's playground was the subject of a lengthy discussion at yesterday's Council meeting. It was decided that the work should be proceeded with.

City Engineer Preston, presented his plan of grading, which included two additional lots, which it is proposed to turn into a bowling green.

Alderman Sargent moved and Alderman Marchant seconded, the work be authorized.

Alderman Andros asked if the Council was not premature in proceeding with the plans, when the Stevenson Memorial Committee had not made sufficient progress in the raising of the fund.

TO REPLACE EYESORE
Alderman Marchant declared the aldermen should disabuse their minds of the idea that a memorial to the Rev. Wm. Stevenson was the only consideration—it was originally planned to make a recreation park there to replace an eyesore, and it was a necessary improvement to the city.

In spite of Alderman Marchant's assurance Alderman Andros held his stand that the city had agreed to spend \$3,000 if the Stevenson Memorial Committee put up \$7,000, and now they were going ahead spending the city's portion while the committee had put up no money. He predicted that the city would commence spending money and when the \$3,000 was expended they would be told to spend \$3,000 if the Stevenson Memorial Committee put up \$7,000, and now they were going ahead spending the city's portion while the committee had put up no money. He predicted that the city would commence spending money and when the \$3,000 was expended they would be told to spend \$3,000 if the Stevenson Memorial Committee put up \$7,000, and now they were going ahead spending the city's portion while the committee had put up no money.

Alderman Ker also doubted the advisability of spending the money until they had more definite assurance on the subscription efforts of the Memorial Committee.

Alderman Sargent said he would not want to go ahead with the work on the assumption that a committee would finish and then later be told that the committee was unable to go ahead with completing the ground. He suggested that as Alderman Woodward had been the spokesman of the committee the letter be held over until he was present. Alderman Woodward being absent from yesterday's meeting.

Alderman Ker predicted the Council would be called upon to spend another \$4,000.

IN GRASS
Alderman Dewar thought the grading should be proceeded with. The Mayor said the grading could be done and if the Committee did not raise its fund it could be sewed in grass and left at that.

During the discussion it was mentioned that the B.C. Electric Co. had offered \$500 towards the subscription.

Alderman Todd moved an amendment that the letter be held over until Alderman Woodward was present.

The original resolution carried, the Mayor, Aldermen Harvey, Marchant, Dewar and Sargent voting for the work to be proceeded with. Aldermen Todd, Christie, Andros and Ker voting against.

BOARD CHOSSES NEW DENTIST
At the meeting of the City School Board late yesterday Dr. H. J. Henderson was chosen as school dentist in succession to the late Dr. William Mason. Dr. Henderson will assume his duties with the opening of term.

A vote of condolence with the family of the late T. W. Cornett was adopted by the trustees, expression being voiced at the great loss to education in Victoria his tragic passing had occasioned.

LODGE PROTESTS ON SAWMILL CINDERS

Council Hears Complaints of Rock Bay Residents

Complaints against sawmills in the Rock Bay district which have previously been the subject on which delegates have appeared before the Public Works Committee were again placed before the council sitting as a public works committee for the purpose yesterday. The danger of fire was referred to by one member of the delegation while the smoke nuisance and cinders from the sawdust burners was referred to by another delegate. He thought if the coverings of the chimneys were kept in better condition the smoke nuisance could be avoided to some extent. The cinders caked, the screen covering blew out and the cinders scattered again. Low water pressure in the neighborhood was also referred to.

The Mayor said in discussion with fire marshals in Vancouver he learned that they had found nothing better than the screens used on the chimneys in Victoria. It might be possible to abate the nuisance by making the owners keep the screens down, but he thought a cure was impossible.

FIRE DANGER
The system installed by Lemon & Gossnons was referred to by members of the delegation in support of their arguments that the mill owners could do more to alleviate the trouble. Great stress was laid by members of the delegation on the danger of fires from the hot cinders.

The committee discussed the matter in council after the delegation left and Alderman Sargent suggested that each mill owner be written a letter and informed of the complaints that had been made. There was a by-law covering this and they should be sent a copy of the by-law and told to abate the nuisance.

"If Lemon & Gossnons have abated the nuisance, the others can," said Alderman Dewar who moved that the fire chief be asked to present a report. Alderman Todd seconded.

Alderman Andros supported the proposal declaring that the residents had a just complaint which had previously been heard by the council, and should be given consideration.

City Hall Gossip
The resolution of the Real Estate Board with reference to reverted lands was referred yesterday by the City Council to the Reverted Lands Committee with a request for a report to the Council. The resolution stated it was the opinion of the board that the present practice of selling reverted lands was destructive of real estate values, and requested the council to give full consideration to any suggestions offered with a view to restoration of shrunken values and fully to explore every avenue to this end.

GOOD ROADS
Complying with a suggestion from H. Frank Bird, provincial secretary of the Good Roads League of British Columbia, Victoria aldermen attended the convention at Penikese next month were instructed to present a strong resolution favoring the continued paving of the Island Highway. The road on the West Coast of Vancouver Island would no doubt receive the support of the convention, the writer stated.

Alderman Harvey was named delegate to the Union of B.C. Municipalities Convention at Penikese in place of Alderman Sargent, who stated he would be unable to go.

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TO CONSIDER OFFER TO BUY WILLOWS

Council Will Receive Report From Finance Committee

The \$80,000 cash offer from Mr. M. Fullerton and his associates for the Willows Park, \$4,000 to be paid over as a deposit on the purchase price and the balance as soon as the necessary by-law was passed was referred by the City Council yesterday to the Finance Committee, with a request that it present a full report and all details to the council. The offer is made, the letter stated, with a view to stabilizing the future of the B.C. Agricultural Association, to which organization a lease would be given for one dollar a year for a term of ten years. Among the conditions previously outlined was the payment, during the ten years, of \$1,000 to the Oak Bay Municipality for land taxes and the further sum of \$1,000 per year in respect of horse racing wagers. The offer was made during the time the land would revert to Mr. Fullerton and his associates freed from the lease to the B.C. Agricultural Association.

PENSION MATTERS BEFORE TUBERCULOUS VETERANS LAST NIGHT
The Tuberculous Veterans' Association held a largely attended business meeting in their quarters last night with President Harrison in the chair.

Several important communications from the Dominion secretary at Ottawa were read to the members, including the question pertaining to an irreducible minimum pension, and in that connection it was pointed out that owing to the failure on the part of the Ration Royal Commission to submit their final report before prorogation of Parliament, this matter had not been dealt with, and will consequently be held in abeyance until the next session of the Dominion Legislature.

The veterans were further advised that the question regarding the award of total disability pension for a period of two years after completion of medical treatment was now a matter of procedure, which means that the enactment of legislation is not necessary in order to bring this into effect.

It is not known when the Board of Pensions will make the award effective. With a view to enlightening all tuberculous veterans regarding the manner in which the amendments to the Pension Act must be made, the Board of Pensions will make the award effective.

The meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Rome Rejoices Locatelli Found
Rome, Aug. 25.—The news that Lieut. Locatelli and his companion airman had been found was received with great rejoicing here. Most of the afternoon newspapers issued special editions.

BODY OF CONSUL KILLED IN PERSIA BEING SENT TO U.S.
Bushire, Persia, Aug. 25.—The U.S.S. Trenton left this port for the United States yesterday, bearing the body of Vice-Consul Robert W. Imbrie, who was killed last month by a mob at Teheran, the Persian capital. The body arrived here from Basra Sunday night and was received by the Persian authorities with full honors. It is being returned to the United States at the expense of the Persian Government.

52,000 IN WINDSOR
Windsor, Ont., Aug. 25.—The population of Windsor has increased 52,000 in three years, according to an estimate just completed by the local officials, which gives the city a total of 52,000.

Tax Collections During the Past Seven Months
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Consolidated arrears, 15 years interest	3,296.41	135.51	+\$3,160.90
Reductions of city tax sale purchases	1,075.24	2,084.54	-\$1,009.30
Bank loan	\$84,890.00	769,200.00	-\$684,310.00
Interest general taxes	2,529.53	1,853.34	+\$676.19

France Supports Proposed Treaty of Mutual Aid
Paris, Aug. 25.—In a letter to Sir Eric Drummond, Secretary-General of the League of Nations, giving adhesion to the League's proposed Treaty of Mutual Assistance, Premier Herriot first of all lays stress on the close relations between terms of safety and armaments. He lets it be understood the French Government

could never take part in a disarmament conference unless a system of safety guarantees was previously established and formally accepted in principle.

Mr. Herriot further insists that France could not agree to a piecemeal plan of disarmament—that is to say, a reduction of land forces to be followed by a reduction of aerial and other forces. Disarmament must be uniform and simultaneous for all forces.

With regard to Germany, the letter maintains that she cannot be permitted to conclude a pact for mutual aid unless she gives adequate guar-

antees of her sincere intention to fulfill her international obligations. The letter makes certain suggestions for improvement of the plan, notably the expediency of defining it not at least the most flagrant cases of aggression, the necessity of giving the Council a longer period than four days in which to decide who was the aggressor, the advisability of providing for the disposition of the aggressor by a majority, authorizing the high contracting parties to act in the best way possible to uphold the right and facilitating putting into operation general mutual aid by substituting a two-thirds

majority for the unanimous vote of the Council.

In conclusion M. Herriot expresses the conviction that a plan answering the requirements voted by the Third Assembly would be perfectly feasible, provided the reduction of armaments be always proportionate to the degree of guarantee offered by the plan.

Tatooch—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 64; wind, 6 miles S.W.; rain, .69; weather, cloudy.

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WANT HOSPITAL EXPENSES MADE GENERAL CHARGE

Resolutions Victoria Will Place Before Municipalities' Convention

Resolutions calling for hospital expenses to be a general charge upon the Province and control of wiring by municipalities will be presented by Victoria aldermen for the Victoria City Council at the convention of B.C. Municipalities at Penikese next month. The report of the legislative committee which was adopted by the City Council at yesterday's meeting was as follows:

"1. The expense of hospitals to become a general charge upon the Province.

"2. Alternative. That the Hospital Act be amended reducing the fees for indigent patients for which the municipality may be obligated from \$2.50 to \$1.50 per day.

"3. That Sub-section of 101 of Section 54 of the Municipal Act be amended to enable municipalities to control electric and other wiring and to compel owners or contractors to secure permits from the wiring inspector before commencing wiring operations, and to compel owners or contractors to pay fees for inspection at the time of issuing permits."

PROVINCE'S PRIOR LIEN OBJECTED TO
Council Opposes Government's First Claim For Succession Duties

Victoria will support the resolution of the Vancouver City Council on succession duties which will go before the convention of B.C. municipalities at Penikese next month, the City Council decided at a special meeting yesterday.

The resolution passed by the Vancouver City Council protesting against the Province under the Succession Duties Act holding a first lien on tax sale lands and claiming that the city's claims for taxes should first apply was read. It favored an amendment to the act giving the municipalities prior right, and called upon the Provincial Government to waive the rights they now had.

Alderman Todd moved and Alderman Christie seconded that the resolution be endorsed.

PRESENT OF \$60,000
It was also decided on Alderman Todd's suggestion that the city solicitor should draft a memorandum showing cases where the city had suffered by prior claim on land for succession duties which the Provincial Government held. The Quaglin estate was referred to as an instance he asserted as the result of the compromise arrived at the city of Victoria was virtually giving to the Provincial Government the sum of \$60,000. The city was virtually the Crown in the case of land, Alderman Todd claimed, as it was from land that it derived its revenue.

INTERCHANGE OF CRUISERS PLANNED
Australian and British Fleets Also Adopt Mutual Officers' Training

London, Aug. 24 (Canadian Press Cable).—The statement issued by the Australian Navy Board to the effect that the British Admiralty and the Australian authorities have agreed on a policy for an interchange of cruisers is quite accurate. The Morning Post says, but the announcement has been made somewhat prematurely in Australia.

The purpose of the policy of the interchange of cruisers, which is linked up with another scheme for an interchange of officers, is to insure unity of training in the Royal Navy and the Australian fleet, and to give the Australians the benefit of the latest developments in cruiser construction armament.

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Consolidated arrears, 15 years	6,114.86	1,485.50	+\$4,629.36
Consolidated arrears, 15 years interest	3,296.41	135.51	+\$3,160.90
Reductions of city tax sale purchases	1,075.24	2,084.54	-\$1,009.30
Bank loan	\$84,890.00	769,200.00	-\$684,310.00
Interest general taxes	2,529.53	1,853.34	+\$676.19

France Supports Proposed Treaty of Mutual Aid
Paris, Aug. 25.—In a letter to Sir Eric Drummond, Secretary-General of the League of Nations, giving adhesion to the League's proposed Treaty of Mutual Assistance, Premier Herriot first of all lays stress on the close relations between terms of safety and armaments. He lets it be understood the French Government

could never take part in a disarmament conference unless a system of safety guarantees was previously established and formally accepted in principle.

Mr. Herriot further insists that France could not agree to a piecemeal plan of disarmament—that is to say, a reduction of land forces to be followed by a reduction of aerial and other forces. Disarmament must be uniform and simultaneous for all forces.

With regard to Germany, the letter maintains that she cannot be permitted to conclude a pact for mutual aid unless she gives adequate guar-

antees of her sincere intention to fulfill her international obligations. The letter makes certain suggestions for improvement of the plan, notably the expediency of defining it not at least the most flagrant cases of aggression, the necessity of giving the Council a longer period than four days in which to decide who was the aggressor, the advisability of providing for the disposition of the aggressor by a majority, authorizing the high contracting parties to act in the best way possible to uphold the right and facilitating putting into operation general mutual aid by substituting a two-thirds

majority for the unanimous vote of the Council.

In conclusion M. Herriot expresses the conviction that a plan answering the requirements voted by the Third Assembly would be perfectly feasible, provided the reduction of armaments be always proportionate to the degree of guarantee offered by the plan.

Tatooch—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 64; wind, 6 miles S.W.; rain, .69; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 64; wind, 4 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—Winnipeg yesterday sweated in an August heat wave which caused the mercury to go to 89 degrees in the shade.

The temperature was the highest since last June, when 91 degrees in the shade was recorded. While early August heat waves are not unusual here, this belated change was not anticipated in view of the cold weather which prevailed during the greater part of the summer.

Indications point to continued favorable weather throughout the province.

August Heat Wave In Winnipeg Area
Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—Winnipeg yesterday sweated in an August heat wave which caused the mercury to go to 89 degrees in the shade.

Wednesday Half-Day Specials

Store Open 8.30 a.m. Closes 1 p.m.

Half-day Offerings in the Staple Section

Unbleached Canton Flannels
Only 500 yards of this desirable Canton Flannel so come early. Special at, yard 19c

White Flannelettes
An excellent quality for gowns. Made from pure Egyptian cotton with a warm nappy surface; 36 inches wide. Per yard 35c

Dressing Gown Velours
Specially priced for Wednesday morning's selling. Shown in Saxe, peach, tan, brown and mauve with charming designs in contrasting colors; 36 inches wide. Per yard 75c

Pure Linen Table Cloths
Splendid cloths for general use. Woven in a wide range of charming designs; size 68 x 84 inches. Price \$3.95

Size 68 x 88 inches. Priced at \$4.95
Napkins to match, doz. \$4.50

Hardware Specials
ENGLISH TEA KETTLES
Made of heavy black tin, ideal for electric stove or gas; 13-pint size; 150 only. Special at, each 29c

Fire Shovels
English fire shovels of heavy make; in black Japan finish. Special at, each 19c

40 Watt Tungsten Lamps
Be prepared for the dark days. 500 of these Tungsten lamps to clear at, each 19c

Special Offerings in Drugs
Pond's Vanishing and Cold Cream, value 50c for 33c
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, value 50c for 37c
Stern's Canned Heat, value 15c 2 for 23c
Cuticura Soap, regular 75c per box, for 55c
Hospital Cotton, 1-lb. roll, regular \$2.50 for 65c

Shetland Wool Pullover Sweaters For Women, \$1.98
Imported Pullover Sweaters of fine quality Shetland wool. Made with short sleeves, round or V neck. Some have narrow belts, while others have tight band at hip. Choice of plain or fancy weave, in variegated and plain shades. All sizes. Special at \$1.98

Bargains in the Carpet and Drapery Sections
Curtain Scrims and Cross Bar Marquisettes
A nice selection of bordered curtain scrims and cross bar marquisettes in ivory and ecru shades. Special at, per yard 17c

36-inch Cretonnes
Nice new patterns and colorings in this 36-inch cretonne; can be split for side draperies. Sale Price, per yard 29c

50 Only Window Shades To Clear
Green opaque window shades with fittings ready to hang; size 36x66. Sale Price, each 75c

Short Lengths of Inlaid Linoleum at Sale Prices
All short lengths and remnants of inlaid linoleum marked at this clearing price, per square yard \$1.25

Scotch Linoleum
500 yards of imported Scotch linoleum in a wide selection of the newest patterns and colorings, suitable for any room in the house. Sale Price, per square yard 95c

BASEBALL, BOXING, SPORTING NEWS, SWIMMING, GOLF

Veteran Golfers Begin Tournament In Fine Weather

Large Number of Seniors Enjoying Bogey Competition at Colwood To-day

First Round of Championship Will be Played To-morrow; Keen Play Promised

Favored by beautiful weather, the sunbaked veterans of the Seniors Northwest Golf Association began play in their second annual tournament at the Colwood Golf Club this morning. Promptly at 9 o'clock Alex Marling, the genial pro of the Colwood club, who is acting as starter, got the seniors started, and they got on until well on into the afternoon they were driving off from the first tee.

To-day the seniors are trying their luck in the bogey competition. This is the only feature of the first day's play, and is arranged so as to allow the visitors to familiarize themselves with the course before embarking upon the two rounds for the championship.

To-morrow will find the veterans participating in their first eighteen holes of the championship. The second round will be played on Thursday and the man with the lowest gross score will be awarded the Barnard Cup, which denotes the championship.

KEEN COMPETITION

L. A. Lewis, of New Westminster, the present champion, is drawn to play with H. S. Griggs, of Seattle. In many circles Lewis is called upon to repeat. He is at the top of his game now. The Americans contend, however, that the champion this year will come from their ranks, and it is possible that they will make good their boast, as there are a number of splendid club-wielders from across the border.

It is quite evident that as a result of the keenness exhibited by the players that the championship will be determined by a very narrow margin.

The golfers are promised good weather for their four-day tournament. The seniors are quite wrapped up in the tournament last year, despite the fact that it was not held until November. Old Sol smiled every day, and this year he has turned out in his glory and given them another hearty welcome. The first thing the Victoria golfers know the visitors will want to tournament for their third annual tournament. Victoria has certainly been on its best behavior for the outsiders.

BE ON JOB EARLY

Capt. J. V. Perks, secretary of the association, wishes to impress upon the players the desirability of being at the Colwood Club early so that they may get off even faster than the times appearing in the draw. Some of the members might play four-ball matches and hurry along the schedule, he says.

This morning the total list of entries for the championship had reached 123, and Capt. Perks expects that by to-morrow morning they will have reached the 140-mark.

The draw for the first round of the championship with the handicaps being given after each name is as follows:

1.0—C. H. Hone 34 and C. H. Hurley 24.
2.0—F. Buchner 24 and Dr. A. Henderson 24.
3.0—R. Bowman 24 and W. L. Morrell 24.
4.0—O. Graham 20 and C. R. Edmondson 18.
5.0—C. H. Hyde 20 and C. D. Bouton 20.

6.0—W. A. Peters 22 and Col. J. O. Wilson 20.
7.0—J. T. Hefferman 18 and H. H. McDougall 18.
8.0—F. H. Brownell 20 and J. A. Beyerly 14.
9.0—D. W. Campbell 18 and C. M. Birnie 22.
10.0—C. F. Adams 25 and J. A. Coleman 27.
11.0—F. P. Prall 15 and Jas. Sobey 18.
12.0—E. A. Strout 20 and B. W. Green 20.
13.0—H. H. Inley 23 and R. E. Evans 24.
14.0—W. Howarth 22 and Justice Galloway 20.
15.0—W. Sloan 26 and Dr. H. B. Nichol 22.
16.0—W. G. Comer 24 and J. Savanah 24.
17.0—O. B. Stubbs 26 and L. D. McLean 26.
18.0—R. T. Tice 18 and J. R. Strickland 24.
19.0—A. F. Albertson 23 and James Diderder 24.
20.0—F. H. Madden 14 and R. W. Gibson 14.
21.0—R. B. Kerr 20 and C. B. Stinson 11.
22.0—J. H. Bloedel 20 and C. R. Northrop 18.
23.0—W. G. Graves 13 and J. E. McDermott 18.
24.0—E. G. Griggs 16 and W. A. Ward 18.
25.0—C. H. Jones 11 and L. H. Hardie 18.
26.0—D. Merrill 20 and C. J. Leewen 18.
27.0—E. Beasley 20 and Dr. Pickett 20.
28.0—J. W. McFarland 24 and A. J. Fraser 22.
29.0—H. Graves 18 and G. H. Barnard 18.
30.0—A. Holt 23 and A. Stuart Robertson 20.
31.0—Graham Glass 13 and Percy Criddle 14.
32.0—A. J. Agnew 18 and J. E. Miller 18.
33.0—F. Swigert 20 and A. McCree 22.
34.0—W. W. Baker 18 and E. W. Peters 18.
35.0—H. Bebb 26 and Col. A. W. Jones 24.
36.0—Dr. A. E. Mackay 18 and W. E. Davidson 18.
37.0—Sir R. Lake 25 and A. F. McEwan 24.
38.0—Ira Bronson 22 and Con Jones 24.
39.0—Sir P. Barnard 24 and Alex Baillie 26.
40.0—J. H. Collins 13 and C. B. MacNeill 18.
41.0—W. Fletcher 18 and G. W. Korte 14.
42.0—J. S. Baker 18 and F. W. Peters 18.
43.0—Dr. Garesche 24 and D. E. Frederick 24.
44.0—C. H. Macaulay 24 and J. M. Macaulay 24.
45.0—E. R. Wheeler 20 and C. M. Roberts 18.
46.0—A. B. Kerry 9 and J. E. Wilson 20.

Canadian Amateur Hockey Stars Will Turn Pro This Year

Toronto, Aug. 26.—Two members of the Canadian Olympic hockey team, which won the world's championship this year, will play professional hockey in the National League this winter. Yesterday, Reg. Smith, star centre player, signed a contract with the Ottawa Senators for \$3,000, and Albert McCaffery, right-winger, signed with St. Patricks of this city.

Hockey World Is Beginning To Do Little Stirring

McKenzie Willing to Trade His Eskimos; F. Patrick Laughs at Simpson Deal

Edmonton, Aug. 26.—"Kenny" McKenzie, manager of the Edmonton Eskimos, states he has completed a trade with the Ottawa Senators, by which Joe Simpson, star defence man of the Edmonton team, goes to Ottawa in exchange for Frank Nighbor, the brilliant centre man of the former Stanley Cup holders.

Edmonton, Aug. 26.—"Til trade the whole Eskimo team excepts Keats," declared Kenny McKenzie, manager of the club yesterday, when asked about the report from Ottawa that he had received a trade offer from the National League Club for Joe Simpson. "I cannot say anything about this Ottawa deal which appears to be in progress, but I do not mind saying that if I can get the men I want in exchange for the Eskimos, the Eskimo team as it has played for several years will be broken up. I am not doing this because the team is not good enough. They are. The team has not given me its best and that is something the fans are entitled to. There is something wrong. I do not know what it is. Maybe it is my fault. Anyway I'll trade with any club that has got players good enough to suit me."

Calgary, Aug. 26.—"Positively ridiculous," was the remark made by Frank Patrick, president of the Pacific coast hockey league here last night, when asked if there was any truth to the report that he had made an offer of \$10,000 to Kenny McKenzie, owner of the Edmonton Eskimos for the services of Joe Simpson, defence player.

"Cut off one finger and you will have the amount that I would be willing to pay for Simpson," said Mr. Patrick.

ATTENDING MEETING

Mr. Patrick and his brother Lester, manager of the Victoria team, came here to confer with Western Canada Hockey League officials regarding the proposed merger of the 1924-25 and also to arrange for the Stanley Cup series which will be played in the Victoria rink here last April and plans that will be made to do away with any further trouble.

The prairie loop will hold its annual meeting here Tuesday afternoon.

Star Golfers Will Seek Manitoba Title

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Many of Winnipeg's best golf players will compete with the best from Minneapolis, Port Arthur and Port William in the annual championship over the course of the Winnipeg Golf Club on Wednesday and Thursday.

Willie Kidd, who will defend the holder of the title, will defend the honors which he gained a year ago. From the head of the lakes are coming Duncan MacRae, A. Plon, pro of the Thunder Bay Club, and J. J. Henry. Local contestants will include F. F. Tribe, the new provincial amateur champion of Cuthbert, amateur champion of Western Canada.

There will be 72 holes of medal play, 36 on each day.

SARAZEN GETS NEW JOB

New York, Aug. 26.—Gene Sarazen has signed a contract with the Fresh Meadow Country Club of Flushing, N.Y., to act as golf professional for the club for one year, Benjamin C. Ribban, president of the club, announced yesterday.

Sarazen will abandon barnstorming, it was said.

12.0—D. E. Campbell 20 and B. S. Josselyn 20.
13.0—M. A. Arnold 16 and J. L. Shaffer 24.
14.0—F. J. Martin 26 and Angus Campbell 24.
15.0—F. Todd 18 and E. Enloe 18.
16.0—E. Cookingham 14 and C. S. Battle 12.
17.0—J. Roberts 20 and J. P. Babcock 21.
18.0—E. S. McCord and F. G. Fowkes 21.
19.0—H. G. Griggs 11 and L. A. Lewis 18.
20.0—J. A. Nitchy 20 and W. H. Hogg 20.
21.0—E. Sherrack 20 and Thorburn Allen 20.
22.0—John Galt 18 and W. McMaster 18.
23.0—H. S. Wallace 18 and R. J. A. O'Reilly 18.
24.0—W. G. Ogilvy 12 and F. T. McCollough 12.
25.0—W. D. Mackay 24 and R. A. Taylor 18.
26.0—E. C. Atwater 18 and Judge Lampan 18.
27.0—W. C. Butler 14 and F. R. Van Wyke 18.
28.0—Justice Gregory 20 and Admiral Wylie 18.
29.0—C. H. Herald 20 and J. N. Ashton 18.
30.0—Geo. E. Torrey and A. N. Osher.

Yankees Manage To Retain Their Thin Advantage

Dispose of Cleveland While Washington Wins; Detroit Goes Under

Giants and Cubs Break Even While Pirates and Brooklyn Score Wins

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, Aug. 26.—The New York Yankees held their scant lead on the American league by defeating Cleveland here yesterday, 8 to 3. New York hit Uble and Wayneburg for thirteen hits, totalling twenty-four bases. Ruth hit his fortieth homer of the season, a double and a single.

Cleveland..... 3 8 2
New York..... 8 13 1
Batteries: Uble, Wayneburg and Myatt; Hoyt and Schang.

TIGERS DEFEATED

Boston, Aug. 26.—Boston battled eleven innings against Detroit yesterday to win 4 to 3. A double by Flagstead, a single by Wampubugus and Munush's error with none out in the eleventh enabled Boston to score the winning run.

Detroit..... 2 9 1
Boston..... 4 3 3
Batteries: W. Collins; Holloway and Basler; Khmke and Pleinich.

JOHNSON STILL STRONG

Washington, Aug. 26.—Holding St. Louis hitless Johnson yesterday pitched Washington to a 2 to 0 victory in the first game of the day. Johnson was hitless, and his one hundred and seventh shut out victory in big league baseball.

St. Louis..... 2 9 0
Washington..... 0 0 0
Batteries: Davis and Seaver; Johnson and Ruel.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, Aug. 26.—The Cubs and Giants broke even in a double header yesterday, Chicago winning the first, 3 to 2, and the champions the second, 11 to 7. Barnes held the Cubs safe until the eighth inning of the first game when a single by Weis drove in two runs and tied the score.

On an infield hit to Kelly, the latter's throw to Barnes and an error by Groh, who threw wild to first on O'Farrell's lead, gave the Giants victory. It was a batting match in which ten runs were scored off Wheeler in less than five innings.

New York..... 2 5 2
Chicago..... 3 6 0
Batteries: Barnes and Snyder; Wheeler, Kaufmann and O'Farrell.

New York..... 11 17 1
Chicago..... 7 9 4
Batteries: Neft and Goway; Wheeler, Bush, Milnehead, Keen and Herbert.

DODGERS COME BACK

St. Louis, Aug. 26.—Jesse Haines made a good start in the box, but weakened and the Cardinals lost to Brooklyn yesterday, 5 to 3, in the third game of the series. Hornby hit his twenty-first home run in the first frame.

Brooklyn..... 5 9 1
St. Louis..... 3 5 1
Batteries: Egan and Taylor; Haines, Sherdell and Gonzales.

PIRATES WIN EASILY

Pittsburgh, Aug. 26.—Pittsburgh easily defeated Philadelphia yesterday, 7 to 4, on a wet fielding the first game of the series. The second was postponed until to-morrow on account of rain.

Philadelphia..... 4 9 1
Pittsburgh..... 7 11 4
Batteries: Blazner, Ceechger and Henline; Meadows and Smith.

BRAVES TRIM REDS

Cincinnati, Aug. 26.—Boston made a strong finish yesterday, tied the score off Rixey in the ninth and won from Cincinnati 5 to 3 in ten innings.

Boston..... 6 11 0
Cincinnati..... 3 14 0
Batteries: McNamara, Conney and O'Leary; Mays and Hargrave.

QUEBEC AND ONTARIO LEAGUE

Ottawa-Hull 7, Royals 4.
Quebec Canadiens, postponed; rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Baltimore 4, Rochester 2.
Newark 4-3, Toronto 8-9.
Only games scheduled.

Renault's Panches Too Much For Smith

Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 26.—Jack Renault, the Canadian heavyweight champion, won a judges' decision here last night over Homer Smith, a Michigan heavyweight, in the tenth round. Renault scored seven knockdowns, one in the first round, and two each in the fourth, ninth and tenth rounds.

Renault weighed 139 and Smith 130.

BIG FOUR TEAM WINS

Westbury, N.Y., Aug. 26.—The American Big Four defeated the blue team in an international polo match by a score of 14 to 11 here yesterday. The Blues were allowed a ten-goal handicap.

Malcolm Stevenson, of the Big Four, scored five goals. Thomas Hitchcock Jr. four and Devereaux Milburn three. Sanford shot the Blues' only goal in the last chukker.

England is playing the chukker. England is playing the chukker. England is playing the chukker.

England Banks Heavily on This Star Rider in Polo With U. S.



MAJOR G. H. PHIPPS-HORNBV

The English team which faces the American stars in the international polo test at the Meadowbrook Club, Long Island, next month, is said to be the most formidable organization ever to invade the United States. And the team is headed by Major G. H. Phipps-Hornby, who plays No. 2. The major is pictured here mounted on his favorite horse.

Lethbridge Holds Corinthians Even; No Score in Game

English Amateurs Fail to Score Against Prairie Eleven

Lethbridge, Aug. 26.—Lethbridge and the touring Corinthians played a scoreless draw here yesterday. The result about represents the play, which was marked by close checking on both sides.

The game was marked by close checking on both sides, which disturbed combination on both sides. The Corinthians had three hard shots on Lethbridge goal, but they were all blocked by the hosts.

A feature of the game was the appearance in a Lethbridge uniform of W. Linnings, who arrived with the team on his trip with the Canadian all-stars to Australia. The Lethbridge team was picked from players between Medicine Hat and Michel and there being a number of individual stars their combination suffered from lack of practice together. The Corinthians on the other hand, played a strong passing game but lacked the dash of the locals.

THE STAR PLAYERS

The work of the star left wing of the visitors, Glenister and Davis, stood out. Partridge, at centre half, and Morrison at left back also showed splendid form.

Of the Lethbridge team, Linnings and Rimmer on the forward line, and McGovern and Jenkins, of the back division, were the pick of the situation at all times in goal.

COLWOOD GOLFERS

During the Seniors Northwest Golf Association tournament at Colwood on August 26, 27, 28 and 29, the Colwood members who are not taking part in the tournament will be extended the privileges of playing at the Victoria Golf Club at Oak Bay.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Baltimore..... 2 5 7
Toronto..... 2 5 9
Buffalo..... 6 8 5
Rochester..... 3 5 3
Newark..... 6 9 4
Syracuse..... 6 9 2
Reading..... 4 8 2
Jersey City..... 4 8 3

ITALIAN'S PRICE TOO HIGH

Chicago, Aug. 26.—The ten-round contest between Erminio Spalla, Italian heavyweight champion, and Paul Pulton, Minnesota plasterer, scheduled for the open-air arena at East Chicago, Ind., September 5, was called off last night because the promoters considered Spalla's demands for a guarantee excessive. Representatives of the Italian demanded \$7,500, then shaved the price to \$5,000.

DO YOU KNOW BASEBALL?

QUESTIONS
1. If a batsman, after missing the third strike, starts for his bench and goes about fifteen feet in that direction, then discovers the catcher has missed the ball, what are the base-runners' rights? In this case the batsman retouches home plate and runs to first base when he reaches the first baseman. Would he be out or safe?—K.D.B.

2. Is it possible for a pitcher to make a balk when there are no men on bases?—N.S.

ANSWERS
1. Such a play often comes up in a major league game. It is not necessary that the runner return and touch the plate when he sees the ball has gotten away from the catcher. He can start from wherever he is, when he discovers the catcher has erred on the ball. Major league umpires do not regard that he has run out of line in first starting for the bench, but simply has made the distance to first that much longer. In the case cited the runner was safe, without any runners on the bases.

2. It is impossible to make a balk without any runners on the bases. An illegal delivery can be made, though it passed over the plate at the proper height. If the batter elected to hit such a delivered ball whatever happened would be regarded as legal.

STRONG SWIMMERS WHO COMPETED IN TIMES' SWIM

Saturday's race for The Times Cup was one of the keenest and most successful yet held. Fourteen swimmers took off from the Causeway float and nine of them reached the Gorge Bridge, the finishing mark. Those in the above picture are as follows: Standing, from left to right—Johnny Cameron, of Vancouver, the winner; Steve Barclay, Jackie Clyde, Bert Butler and Tommy Weiburn, all of the V.A.S.C.; R. C. Ross and Howard Reid, of the Eiks S.C.; W. Duncan, unattached, and W. T. Smyton, V.A.S.C. Sitting—Jesse Stott and Dorinda Jones, V.A.S.C.; Audrey Griffin, V.I.A.A., and Gracie Wellburn and Bertha Ross, V.A.S.C.

Port Hammond Team To Play Here Saturday

C.P.R. Meet Mainland Ball Champs in First Game For B.C. Title

Hammond Cedars Defeated Young Liberals 3-0 Last Night in Final Game

How They Stand

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—The Hammond Cedars baseball team defeated the Young Liberals, of Vancouver, last night, with a score of 3 to 0, thus clinching the series for the Mainland championship. The Cedars won three games in the five starts. The Hammond team will play in Victoria on Saturday, and Victoria and Hammond will play in Vancouver on Monday, September 2.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Won Lost Pct.
San Francisco..... 75 45 .625
Seattle..... 72 48 .600
Vernon..... 69 51 .575
Oakland..... 67 53 .558
Salt Lake..... 62 58 .517
Portland..... 58 64 .475
Los Angeles..... 54 70 .435

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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New York..... 75 45 .625
Pittsburgh..... 72 48 .600
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Cincinnati..... 62 58 .517
St. Louis..... 58 64 .475
Philadelphia..... 54 70 .435
Boston..... 51 73 .412

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Won Lost Pct.
New York..... 69 51 .575
Washington..... 66 54 .550
Detroit..... 62 58 .517
St. Louis..... 61 59 .508
Cleveland..... 58 64 .475
Boston..... 54 70 .435
Philadelphia..... 51 73 .412
Chicago..... 48 76 .387

UPSETS FEATURE Opening of U.S. Tennis Singles

N. Williams, Former Titleholder, is Eliminated by Lott, a Schoolboy

N. Brookes Suffers Defeat; Most Visiting Stars Successful Yesterday

Forest Hills, Aug. 26.—Marked by a sensational victory by George Lott Jr., Chicago school boy, against national junior champion, over R. Norris Williams II, of Philadelphia, twice former titleholder, the opening of the national men's singles tennis championship yesterday witnessed a series of upsets before play was suddenly halted by a downpour of rain.

Lott conquered Williams in four sets 6-1, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4, while other breaks in the ranks of favorites occurred when Hugh Kelleher of New York put out Norman Brookes, Australian veteran, and Watson Wainwright of New York vanquished Robert Kinsey of San Francisco.

Among the foreign contingent the outstanding victors were Pat O'Hara Wood of Australia and Jean Borotra of France. Wimbledon champion, who downed Carl Fischer of Philadelphia in a slashing battle that was hard-fought although the Frenchman won in straight sets.

The upset between Williams and Lott, the high spot of the opening day, was fought out in one of the outlying courts, but close to a thousand spectators, hearing of the Chicago boy's sensational play, deserted grandstand matches and stood four feet deep around the court to see the finish.

Except for a spurt in the third set which he won easily and a gallant rally in the final set, Williams did not show his best, while Lott, having defeated a number of players, apparently did not care to take too many risks with his ankle and let many of Lott's hard drives whistle through for winners without making an effort at a return.

To-day, Lott's second round opponent probably will be Willard Crocker of Canada, who had a lead in his match with George Whitlock of New York was interrupted.

BROOKES' EYES BAD

The passing of Brookes from the tournament in his first match came as a surprise but the great champion, who has a brilliant international record of over a score of years, was no match for his young New York opponent, Hugh Kelleher.

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REGRETS LOSS OF
COURT'S MARSHALRetirement of F. G. Richards
Subject of Allusion by Mr.
Justice Martin

Mr. Justice Martin, local judge in Admiralty, has paid a well-deserved tribute to F. G. Richards, the marshal, who has retired from office shortly after his retirement from the provincial office of sheriff.

Mr. Justice Martin paid particular tribute to the services of Mr. Richards during the war years, in his remarks His Lordship said:

"The Court—before entering upon the ordinary business of this court, as this is the first opportunity for so doing, I think it proper to say that I much regret that we have no longer with us, owing to the admittance of Father Time, (whose decrees are final, and to which we must all sooner or later submit) F. G. Richards, the late marshal of this court, who has had to retire from the position which he has so long and so faithfully discharged. He was for many years the sheriff of the County of Victoria, which is the senior shrievalty of this Province, but

owing to the infirmities of advancing years he was lately superannuated by the Provincial Government. That, of course, did not deprive him of his responsible offices in this Federal Court; but since his retirement from the public interest, from which he has suffered so long and so uncompensatingly, he has been, and therefore the Federal Government thought fit in the public interest to pursue the same course in regard to his office as marshal as the Provincial Government did in regard to his office as sheriff, the ground of his relief from it being his superannuation, as I have seen from the Order-in-Council.

It is I feel only just to him to say that for many years he discharged his duties as marshal with singular efficiency; and owing to the recent war he had to perform duties which were more trying than those which have ever been discharged by any other marshal of this court. I refer to the difficulties arising in the Prize Court out of the cases of the "Leonard" and the "Oregon," in the course of which, owing to their unhappily having been removed to England (despite my objection, which has I may say been more than justified by the exceedingly costly and unfortunate consequences of their removal, and consequent delay thereby occasioned), the late marshal had to perform very unusual and very exacting duties, which he did with credit and to the satisfaction of his colleagues, and I feel they have not received the recognition which they merited. But I must say this, that while his bodily infirmities became more marked towards the close of his career as an official and esteemed member of our Province, they did not at all affect his mental faculties, which were as singularly alert despite his years, and illness, and he continued to discharge his duties despite those infirmities, which would have been a bar to most of his colleagues, with an uncomplaining way which excited my admiration. It will be some gratification to him to know that on retiring on the day of his honorable retirement, which I trust may be happily prolonged, he takes with him the respect, the sympathy and the appreciation of this Court.



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NEWS IN BRIEF

The permit was taken out this morning for the galvanised iron and coal wharf which Walker & Sons will build at a cost of \$2,500. Farfitt Bros. are the contractors.

The committee in charge of the Beach, which is the committee of the Victoria Fair, desires to thank all those who assisted to make the exhibit such a success. All small fruits and vegetables not returned were donated to the Orphan's Home.

In connection with the gift of an Essex car at the Conservative picnic (admission to the ground being free), tickets are available at the following places: Colist Office, Morris Cigar Stand, Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building; Mrs. Randall, Oak Bay Avenue, Fairall's, Ltd., Victoria West; Northwestern Creamery, Broad Street; R. P. Clark & Co., View Street; John Day, Government Street; Market; B. L. Robertson, room 4, Winch Building; S. Blair, 648 Beach Street; J. I. Seabrook, 509 St. John Street; James Bay; Weller Bros., Government Street, and Bulter's News Stand, C.P.R. Wharf.

The Hustler's Club of the Victoria City Temple will stage their first annual sports on the Athletic grounds of the Willows Beach to-morrow at 6.30 p.m.

Ten good events have been arranged for, consisting of running, jumping and other athletic stunts. W. T. Bridge, Leonard Cox and William Maynard will act as judges. A. R. C. Hebdien is to be official announcer and starter. The board of the Victoria City Temple have presented the club with three beautiful prize cups, which are to be competed for annually. The winners of first, second and third places of each event will receive points, and at the end of the tournament the young men who receive the highest number of points will win the trophies for this year. To make the event a success the congregation will hold a picnic at the Willows Beach at 5 p.m.

VETERAN OF R.N.W.M.P. DIED HERE MONDAY

There passed away at his home in Lake Hill yesterday Major Robert Edward Tucker, late of the Royal North-West Mounted Police. He had been in Victoria for the past two years following a lengthy stay in the United States. He was a member of the R.N.W.M.P. and was sixty years of age. The funeral will take place from the R.C. Church, Factors to-morrow at 2.15 o'clock, and proceed to the St. John's Church, where service will be held. Rev. F. A. Chadwick officiating. The remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

OBITUARY

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emily McConnell, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Thursday, took place yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and a large number of friends were in attendance and the profusion of beautiful flowers testified to the high esteem in which the late Mrs. McConnell was held. The service was held in the chapel of the Sands Funeral Home, 1101 Douglas Street, where the remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Alexander David McLachlan took place yesterday, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 1.15 o'clock, and ten minutes later services were conducted at the Metropolitan Methodist Church by the Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell, assisted by Rev. W. E. Daly and Rev. Daniel Walker. Relatives and hundreds of friends were in attendance, and the floral tributes were many and beautiful. The service was held in the chapel of the Sands Funeral Home, 1101 Douglas Street, where the remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Mrs. B. C. R. Hatch Marries Member of Tantrik Oom

New York, Aug. 26.—Mrs. Barbara C. Rutherford-Hatch, a daughter of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, was married August 11 to Dr. Pierre Nicholas, assistant to Dr. Pierre Abernethy, head of the cult of the Tantrik Oom, at Nyak, N.Y. It became known here to-day.

The death took place at an early hour this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Harro Road, of 526 Cornford Street, Esquimalt, of Mrs. Elizabeth (Gordon) Giles, age 62 years, born in Halifax and a resident of Esquimalt for the past nine years. The late Mrs. Giles is survived by her husband, Mr. Giles, a resident of Esquimalt, and a daughter, Mrs. Harkin Govenlock, at home; three brothers in Manitoba, one brother and sister in Saskatchewan. The funeral will take place to-morrow, August 27, at 2.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Warren Cornett will take place to-morrow afternoon, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 1.50 o'clock, and ten minutes later services will be conducted at the Metropolitan Methodist Church by the Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell, and the remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CONSTABLE ENDED HIS LIFE

Clark's Harbor, N.S., Aug. 26.—The body of Jeremiah Crowell, chief of police of this town, was found hanging by a piece of rope in the hallway of the school house last night. No motive is known for the suicide.

SCHOOL SURVEY TO TEST NEARLY 15,000 PUPILS

Commission Will Operate After Schools Open Tuesday; Opinions Invited

The British Columbia School Survey Commission which has been holding public hearings during the summer will continue its work after public schools open next Tuesday, and test out some 15,000 pupils. It was announced to-day by J. H. Putnam, chairman of the commission. The "School Survey" Commission has heard public deputations on the island, in Vancouver, in New Westminster and in Chilliwack, but will be ready to receive further deputations both in Victoria and in Vancouver in October, Dr. Putnam said.

"During October and November the commissioners propose to visit various parts of the Province, visiting schools during the day and hearing from ratepayers and citizens on school affairs during the evening. The Normal Schools will also be visited, and very careful consideration given to the system of training teachers."

"The commissioners have several assistants at work on the problem connected with school financing, school buildings and tests of school pupils. Dr. Peter Sandford, of the Ontario College of Education, University of Toronto, is the chief of the capital, and will be engaged until early in October assisting the commissioners in the preparation of school tests and the giving of standardized tests. It is proposed to have these tests given about the middle of October by the British Columbia school inspectors, who will receive special coaching for this work by Dr. Sandford. At least 15,000 pupils will be tested in elementary schools, and perhaps 5,000 in high schools and normal schools. A variety of educational tests will be given."

VACATION COMES TO END NEXT WEDNESDAY

One Hundred Extra Pupils Anticipated at Victoria High School This Year

"The eight weeks' vacation will draw to a close and city schools will open Tuesday, and wherever in the city selling school supplies are reminding parents and pupils that now is the time to purchase scribbles and other schoolbooks and mothers have commenced sorting out lesson books. It is anticipated that there will be an enrollment of one hundred extra pupils at the Victoria High School, and new desks are now being set up in three extra classrooms for which new teachers have been appointed. The increase anticipated in the number of extra pupils who passed the entrance examinations this year. The playgrounds of Victoria West, Margaret Jenkins and Boys' Central Schools. The front of Victoria West School has been levelled and covered with concrete, and the playgrounds of Margaret Jenkins and Boys' Central Schools have been repaired and curbing put down."

CUTTERS WATCH COAST FOR PRINCE ALBERT

Alleged Liquor Runner From Victoria to U.S. Waters Under Suspicion

Seattle, Aug. 26.—Cutters of the United States coastguard from Seattle to San Diego to-day took up a watch for a craft called the Prince Albert, which they declare carried 50,000 cases of liquor when she left Victoria, B.C., recently. Confirming the foregoing statement Captain P. G. Dodge, of this city, commanding the coastguard in the North Pacific, alleged that the Prince Albert was a well-known runner of liquor from Canada to America, and that she always kept twelve miles from shore, the cargoes finding their way to land by smaller boats. The liquor was said to be of the brandy type, and in her papers her destination was given as Mexico. The cargo was said to have been brought from Seattle by the steamer Canadian Skirmisher.

B.C. FOREST FIRE MENACE EASED

The forest fire situation has generally improved throughout the Province because of the heavy rains a week ago, but a hazard still exists in the area of the fire, according to reports to P. Z. Caverhill, chief forester. Total number of fires so far this season is 1,794. On the corresponding date for 1923 the total was 1,058 and for 1922, 2,083.

Overnight Entries

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Wednesday's entries at Lansdowne Park.

First race—Five and one-half furlongs.
C. A. Comiskey 114
Puls 114
Deertrail 114
Ukase 114
Different Eyes 114
Jack Lodi 114
Fernando 112
Pokey Jane 112
F. G. Corley 109
India 107
Yorkshire Relish 107
Fullanti 102
Second race—Five and one-half furlongs.
Daydus 117
Charles A. Byrne 114
General Petain 114
Kinetic 114
Ruth Wehle 112
Miles Taft 112
Canny Lady 109
Little Less 109
Hindooan 107
Tom Jensen 107
Weolday 107
Third race—Five and one-half furlongs.
Jack Fountain 114
Joe Joe 114
Dr. Hall 114
Ella Waldo 112
Rosa Atkin 112
Lucy J. 112
Tom Jensen 112
Reprint 112
Roxboro II 109
Ledy St. Patrick 107
Spiras 100
Fourth race—One mile and one-quarter.
Quaver 119
Stroller 114
Dowry 114
Expressive 114
Golden Cup 112
Mist Trosper 111
Shadow Spark 105
Mist R. and J. Bernard entry.
Fifth race—Six furlongs.
Lady Gorman 122
My Reverie 120
Matinee Idol 111
Jack Fairman 109
Glad Man 107
Worthman 107
Goldstein 106
Pearl Boots 101
At Hotfoot 96
George Drummer entry.
Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth.
Canny Lady 109
John Morrill 109
Reap 107
Plaxy Mae 105
"Fuguration" 105
Feinability 102
Seventh race, one mile and seven-eighths.
Cassy 111
George Choo 109
Bernice E. 107
Miss Liberty 107
Bronston 107
Topmast 104
Leefhack 105
Engrinle 105
Willigan 105
Tom Brooks 102

PRAIRIES HAVE EXCELLENT WEATHER FOR RIPENING OF GRAIN, REPORTS NOW SHOW

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—In the three prairie provinces the condition of the crops has been noticeably improved during the last five days, according to the weekly crop report of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Ideal ripening weather now prevails throughout the prairie region, and while in several districts, cutting is not expected to be general before the end of August.

MANITOBA OUTLOOK

In Manitoba the crop outlook is bright and with favorable weather conditions a fair yield will be realized in fields previously re-

EAST INDIANS WAIT FAIR ACTION

Professor Here From Calcutta Thinks Immigration Problem Will Be Easier

"While I am a scientist, and not a politician," declared Professor C. V. Ramon, of the University of Calcutta, a distinguished East Indian, who arrived in Victoria this morning, "I think you may feel sure there will not be a large amount of travel out of India in the next few years to the other British dominions. We feel in India that those who go overseas from us, whether to East or South Africa, or elsewhere in the Empire, should be treated as men, and that rights are unfairly denied them which the white man has in his own country. People are jealous of India, and such restrictions make for bad feeling in the Empire. I am a member of the British Association party, is the only representative of his race with them. He comes to London periodically to consult on matters affecting science, and this visit to Canada has been a revelation to him. Recognizing that the East Indian question solely rests on the fact that the East Indian is concerned, he asked some questions about the subject, and he doubted if there was any movement to this province. Mr. Sastri, it will be recalled, came to Victoria some few years ago to conduct an investigation into the East Indian immigration problem. Mr. Ramon said the Sikhs were regarded in India as the mechanics of the Empire, and that they were in such demand for employment that no repetition of the Komatiga incident might be expected. He expressed his belief that the East Indian immigration as such, was at an end practically, so far as non-tropical countries were concerned."

CHARGES INVOLVE TOTAL OF \$90,000

Two Men in Toronto Accused of Conspiracy; Flax Transactions

Toronto, Aug. 26.—Arrested on charges of conspiracy to defraud to the alleged amount of \$90,000, Louis Luke of Toronto, one-time secretary to the late Sir William Mackenzie, and Fred Lewis of Toronto are being held without bail for preliminary hearing. During and after the war, it is charged, Luke was appointed to rent farm lands in Western Ontario counties to grow flax. An arrangement was made whereby the farmers whose land was rented were to grow the flax. It was due to alleged improper transactions in the sales of the flax that the charges were made, according to the police.

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The court cleared, the reading of the document began.

"I don't know what the report contains as I have not read it," said Judge Caverly, "but I want the record complete."

Walter Bachrach of defence counsel then read the report of the post-mortem.

YESTERDAY'S SESSION

Concluding his three-day argument yesterday afternoon, a Clarence S. Darrow, sixty-seven-year-old philosopher of the courts and foe of legal rigidity, pleaded for the future, for posterity, for the progress of law, for "that time when we shall realize that mercy is the highest attribute of man."

The chief counsel for the defence brushed tears from his eyes several times as he entreated for "that noble quality of mercy with which we may eventually overcome the policy of law and malice with kindness and gentleness and love."

He disliked his own tears and disposed of them with as little show as possible.

He indicted the present age for cruelty. He indicted war for callousness, the hearts and sympathies of men. He indicted the educational system under which "young, plastic minds" are given the pagan philosophies of all times. He spoke with scorn of the doctrine of jurists and lawyers to move in ruts of legal terminology in utter disregard for the advances of science and the advancement of the human race.

"The 'irrational, mad and horrifying' crime which they had contrived as the produce, even the responsibility, of ages gone."

CALLED A SUPERSTITION

He characterized as "ancient superstition and nothing else" the theory that hanging is a deterrent to crime.

"Hanging grew up in the age of barbarism from which we are so lately come, as an exhibition, not as a punishment," he said.

"I am pleading for life, for charity and kindness and for humanity," he said. "I am pleading for the overcoming of cruelty with kindness and love."

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Princess Rupert delegates at the meeting of the C.P. National Association, will bring an invitation from that city to hold the 1925 meeting in Prince Rupert.

GREAT TOURIST TRAFFIC

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 26.—Governor J. A. O. P. of Minnesota, in Port Arthur to-day, predicted an immense tourist traffic into Northern Ontario as soon as the highway from

The next general meeting of the G.W.V.A. will be held on Tuesday, September 3, at 8 p.m. Members are asked to note the alteration of date.

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THE BOYS TALK SHOP—Gathered at Wayside Inn, Sudbury, Mass., for a vacation, are Henry Ford, Thomas Edison and Harvey Firestone (left to right). They "get together" every year.



BETRAYED TO JUSTICE—Charles H. Matthews, former Assistant Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, who escaped from Toronto last March, during an investigation into scandals in connection with the handling of provincial bond issues, was recently found running a sandwich wagon in California. His partner in the business betrayed him for the \$2,500 reward offered by the government, and a United States immigration official escorted him to the Canadian border, handing him over to the Ontario provincial police. He is now in jail in Toronto awaiting trial in police court. Above he is shown with Provincial Inspector Albert B. Boyd of Ontario, and Inspector "Pat" Ferrelly of San Francisco, the two officers who brought him back to Canada.



BACK TO THE "OLD HOME CHURCH"—The Coolidges attend Sunday services at the "old church" in Plymouth, Vt. A general scene in the churchyard is pictured and it is interesting to note that secret service agents (arrows) are scattered through the little crowd. In the other picture President and Mrs. Coolidge are shown leaving church accompanied by the president's father and their son John.



OUR LITTLE MAX—Lord Beaverbrook, outstanding figure in British press, is paying a hurried visit to Canada. The above picture was taken in Toronto, where he has been staying en route for New York.



TO SEE HIS OWN COUNTRY—W. C. Noxon, Ontario's agent-general in England, who plans a tour of Canada within the next month or so.



AMATIVE FIGHTER—Mrs. Theresa Mora, tenth "real love" of Kind McCoy, the prize fighter, whom the former pugilist is accused of having slain. (Right) the Kid and Miss Jacqueline McDowell, another of the fighters "flames," who was to have become his bride, but she jilted him at the last minute.

SCHOOL DAYS

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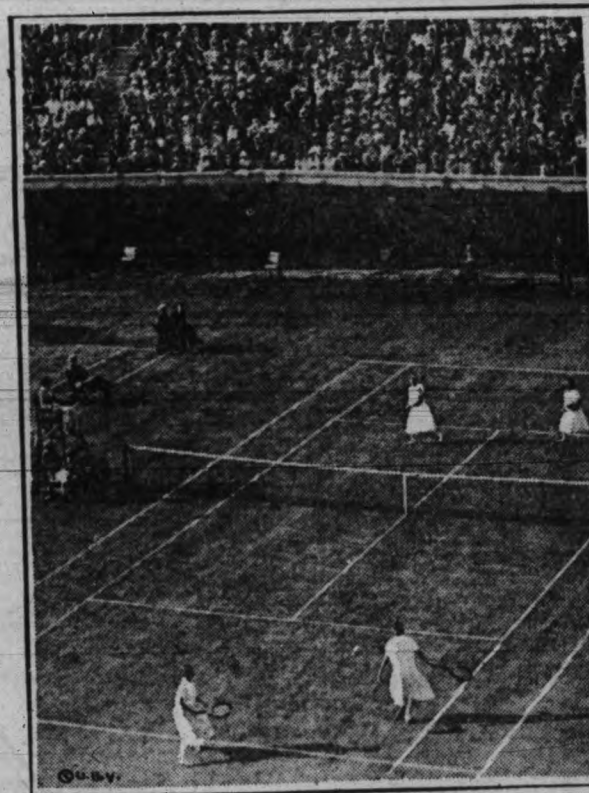
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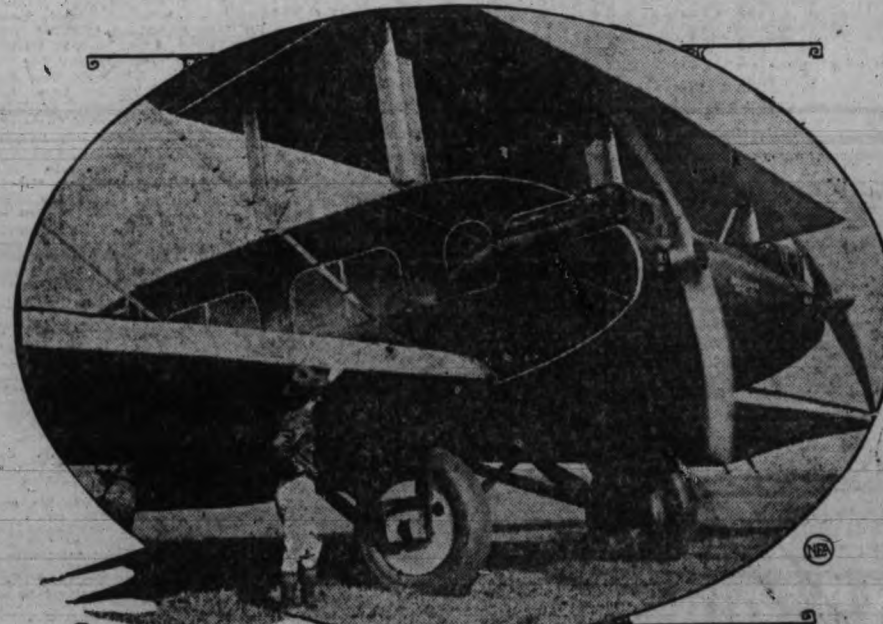
HIS COLONY IN NEED OF WIVES—The "Last of the Samaritans," of Biblical days, a colony living near Jerusalem, is in danger of dying out. Unless the colony, now but 125 strong, permits marriages outside its own members, which has been forbidden for 2,000 years, it will soon become extinct. Cast aside at the time of the building of the second Temple, as not being Jews, these Samaritans lived aloof. They practice Judaism in a simple fashion and their dress is that of the Arabs. The picture is of a high priest. The characters are a mixture of Arabic and Hebrew.



HENRY'S CHOICE?—Invitation of Prince Henry of England to be a house guest of the Duke and Duchess of Buccleuch, Scotland, has given rise to rumors of a forthcoming engagement to the beautiful Lady Mary Scott, their daughter.



ACTION IN FINAL DOUBLES—Helen Wills and Mrs. Wightman (at back) are shown during a play in the final doubles at the national tennis championship meet, Forest Hills, N.Y. At the front are Miss Jessup and Miss Goss who lost to the "big two." This match was played after Miss Wills had won the national singles title.



THEY EVEN CARRY BABY GRAND PIANOS!—Anything is liable to happen now. This giant plane, recently tested at Curtiss Field, Long Island, can carry thirty passengers or a heavy load of freight. It will be used in freight service, according to present plans. Note the two propellers and the great width of the body.

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TOTAL ECLIPSE OF SUN JAN. 24 NEXT

Observers on Eastern Part of This Continent Will Have Best View

Washington, Aug. 26.—While no total eclipses of the sun are listed for this year, one of the best opportunities for observing a total shutdown of Old Sol's face will be afforded the eastern part of this country early in the coming year, officials at the United States Naval Observatory here say.

PLEADS GREATER USE OF BOOKS AS AID TO BETTER EDUCATION OF SOCIETY

John Ridington Delivers Presidential Address to Pacific Northwest Library Association; Establishment of More Libraries is Welcome Sign.

"Our educational systems and aims, and our attitude to life, must be so adjusted that we may be better prepared to understand conditions, avail ourselves of possibilities and guard against dangers. We must encourage fearless and honest thinking, for just as the remedy for the ills of democracy is more democracy, so the cure for the defects of present day education is better education. No means now available will accomplish this more quickly, more effectively, than those habits of mind that come from wisely guided reading, or by explorations, undertaken for one's own pleasure and satisfaction, into the vast treasure houses of experiment and experience to which books are the keys," said President John Ridington to the Pacific Northwest Library Association last evening, in his inaugural address. It was a plea for a wider use of books.

As librarian he said they welcomed the establishment of more and better libraries in connection with all branches of education. School libraries were multiplying in gratifying fashion, and to the general school library were now being added many class room libraries. Universities to-day realized that their libraries were the very core and heart of the institution, and were housing them in noble buildings, often, as in the case of the new library of the University of Washington, the architectural as well as academic focus of the whole university group.

NEED OF BOOKS

"Beyond question, the most important means of education is the book," he continued. "The ancient Hebrew student, Saul, sat, centuries ago, at the feet of Gamaliel, and Greek philosophers and medieval moralists, at Corinth and Athens, at Padua and Paris, discoursed of life and man, its nature and his destiny, to eager minds attracted by interest in the subject and the fame of the teacher."

"It is true that development of electrical science to-day makes it possible for a speaker to be perfectly heard by an audience of fifty thousand people; the impress of the delicate spirally arranged serrations on a disc of glue will perpetuate for future generations the voice of a scholar, statesman or singer; while telephone and radio open up vistas of unprecedented educational opportunity, as yet untutilized, for the spoken word. The movie, too, may in the future days do much, but the movie is but a book picture given motion, and interpretation of what is seen has to be furnished by reading, as in a book, of the descriptive sub-titles."

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"All these things are really marvellous, as we all are to take them casually. Nevertheless, in spite of the possibilities of these wonderful things, they are recognized as adjuncts, rather than the supercessors, to the book, as the fundamental instrument of education."

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Another total eclipse will take place January 14, 1925. This will start in Africa, crossing the Indian Ocean and the island of Sumatra in the Dutch East Indies and the lower islands of the Philippines.

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Another total eclipse will take place January 14, 1925. This will start in Africa, crossing the Indian Ocean and the island of Sumatra in the Dutch East Indies and the lower islands of the Philippines.

EDUCATIONAL DIFFICULTIES

"The other methods, moreover, wholly failed to recognize the wide range of variation in mental ability, even of scholars in the same school class," the president said. "A rough classification of the results indicated by thousands of intelligence tests put only fifty per cent of school children as of 'average' ability; twenty-five per cent are above, and twenty-five per cent below. Of those above, seven per cent can be classed as brilliant, while, at the bottom of the scale, there is another seven per cent so slow or stupid as to approach the defective. In a class of fifty, how is a teacher to present her lesson as not to be unjust to the twenty-five children above and below the median line? Those below are unavailingly spurred as they labor doggedly or sullenly towards inevitable failure, while those above have to be restrained and held back for their slower comrades."

"Instead of the imposition of discipline from without, there is, in countries where the media line is interested, a vital and active impulse from within. Purposes and ideals in education itself have undergone a transformation. The old object of the accumulation of racial experience; but that of the teacher of to-day, from the kindergarten to the university, is to assist and worthy participation in the affairs and problems of life. Knowledge is now acquired, not as an end in itself, but as means whereby life can be lived more fully, more happily. The aim alike of public and high schools, and of the university, is not to make the minds of boys and girls reservoirs and repositories of fact, but to equip every scholar, every student, therein with a self-starter, to so develop within him latent interest and energy, that throughout life he can bring to its work and its problems standards and ideals, power and direction, motive and motion."

TALKS UPON ADULT EDUCATION

Dr. Sandford Speaks to Library Association

While youth is the golden age for learning, with a little more sustained effort than in earlier years the person of riper years may learn, according to Dr. Peter Sandford, M.Sc., Ph.D., Professor of Education in the Ontario School of Education, University of Toronto, whose subject was "Adult Education: The Problem and Its Possibilities," at the evening session yesterday of the Pacific Northwest Library Association.

He presented arguments on the possibility of adult education drawn largely from the Old Country examples like the Workers' Educational Association and the Adult School Union.

"If they would only solve the problem of persuading rural as well as urban adults to form Workers' Educational Associations, or merely to read good books, they would perform a service most eminently worth while," Dr. Sandford said.

"The great need of the Pacific Northwest is more telephones in rural communities, not more labor-saving devices, not more gramophones, not even more radios, but more good books. It seems to me that you people assembled here have a great responsibility upon your shoulders in getting good books out into the country. It is easier in the towns, but more difficult in the country, and if you should develop a love of good books for people in country places you will be doing a work which is worth while," he concluded.

REVOLUTIONIZED EDUCATION

This is the discovery that has revolutionized education by vitalizing all its processes. To say that the book is at the very heart and core of modern

LIBRARY MOVEMENT GROWS IN B.C. IN FIVE-YEAR PERIOD

Minister of Education, in Welcoming Delegates, Alludes to Public Libraries Act

Welcoming the Pacific Northwest Library Association convention, in alluding to the problem of library progress in so scattered a province as British Columbia, Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, last evening compared the situation before the passage of the Public Libraries Act in 1919 to the present condition. There were just three libraries in the province in 1919, and also some traveling libraries, being collections of books despatched from centre to centre which supplied a long felt want, but at the same time also had a body of men and women who were keenly interested in the library movement, it was unnecessary to mention names, who induced him as minister to pilot the act through the Legislature. As a result they had three additional libraries formed; they now had additional libraries in the province, and there were 276 traveling libraries. So some progress had been made in the supply of library service to the province, "if I were a prophet," continued the Minister, "I should say that the next development will be in the form of school libraries."

COMPLEX LIFE GROWING

"What hope there would be for democracy were thinking of the sort that the new place of books in education promoted to be the rule, instead of, as now, the exceptional. Democracy was once defined as the blessed privilege of making our own mistakes. Let us do learn by our mistakes—but though such teaching is effective, it is expensive, and much of it is so unnecessary. There is no lack of knowledge, with which to solve the problems of life. Man's inventive genius has devised countless machines that make him high to a god, omnipotent and omniscient. But he has largely become enslaved to the devices he has himself created for the extension of his own powers. Instead of life becoming easier, simpler, easier, generation becomes more difficult, more complex. The pace becomes swifter, the pressure higher, the tension more acute. Perhaps we now need some such process as the factory, government, and learn to so adapt in respect to immigration. It might be wise to call a halt on mere mechanical invention, until we can catch up thereupon, and have that it shall contribute to the happiness, instead of the complications, of life. The world's real problem are to be found, not in things, but in people. Most of them would disappear in a generation if we would all face the facts and the relations of life with minds trained to see all sides, and a desirous of being kind and just."

THE ORPHAN

That particular blizzard proved to be the worst Cranston had experienced in years. As a matter of fact, it was a memorable incident still referred to by the townspeople as "the night Horace Latimer died."

Latimer was Cranston's pride and prize enigma. It resented his close retirement while at the same time he boasted of his past achievements and was secretly proud of his refusal to admit it to terms of friendly equality.

When Latimer died that night while the storm raged, Cranston was genuinely sorry, though few had ever met him personally and none but John Blake and Dr. Phillips had ever

passed through the postern gate in his garden wall.

John Blake was grateful for the storm that tied up railroad traffic and prevented him from taking the Eastern special that passes through Cranston shortly after midnight.

Otherwise, he would have been far away, tearing through the night, when his old friend and adviser breathed his last.

Latimer's final words were spoken to him.

He had found Julie's frantic message awaiting him when he returned to his home after bidding Cranston goodnight. Jimmy Phillips, less glowering and youthfully awed by the vital nature of his errand, was warning himself before the first in his motherly solicitude and demanded that he take off his soaked shoes and allow her to dry them.

"Old Mr. Latimer's dying," Jimmy announced without preamble, "Julie wants you to come. My car's stalled down on Main Street, or I'd drive you. I just took Dad over to the Latimer's and got caught coming back for you. Shall I help you get your car out?"

"Thanks, I'll walk—save time," Blake was already shuffling himself back into his great coat. "Did you father say there wasn't any hope?"

"The boy shook his head."

"I guess he's a goner this time," Julie's pretty nearly crazy.

"Stay here and warm yourself," Blake called back from the doorway.

"Mrs. Ames will get you something hot to drink."

Blake plunged again into the storm. His progress was necessarily slow with the wind and snow beating mercilessly against him. He was nearly blinded with its feathery white curtain, and he slipped and floundered in the drifts and twice brought up sharply against an unseen obstacle.

So keen was his fear of being too late that he didn't pause to remove his snow-covered great-coat when he entered the darkened house, but hurried straight to the bedroom where Horace Latimer lay.

He was kneeling there, dripping pools of water on the rug, when Latimer opened his eyes for the last time and pressed with his feeble fingers the strong hand that clasped his

Strong to be continued

THE HERD MIND

"The time has come when a professor can deliver, year after year, the same stereotyped lectures. Instead, at least as far as literature and the social sciences are concerned, he is, to a large extent, the director or suggestor of lines and methods of inquiry personally undertaken by his students, and each involving and violating those qualities of initiative and judgment that are far more valuable to the possessor than any mere acquisition of facts, however important. For it should be remembered, in comparing the older and the present aims and methods of education, that those to-day in vogue give as a result a bye product that is worth more, not alone to the student himself, but to society, than any knowledge or mastery, however wide or complete, of the material on which his powers were exercised. Study so pursued develops poles and power, it brings to birth and maturity latent potentialities, capacities and aptitudes that can be transferred bodily to other fields, if a child or youth can dig up facts for himself, sift, relate and compare them, and form a definite and individual judgment thereon. It needs no argument to show his superiority to one who simply takes up somebody else's assertion, or ready-made opinion. The world has too many of this sort of folk—too many of us are governed by slogan, our political and social opinions determined by headline or catch phrase."

EDUCATIONAL ADJUNCT

As minister of education he appreciated the opportunity to speak to men and women engaged in such a valuable educational work. "Next to the preacher and teachers I regard the librarians as the most important factor in education that we have," said Dr. MacLean. Again the profession of the librarian was being incessantly improved, he did not believe such a convention as that held would have been impossible. He attributed that to the librarians themselves, who have largely become enslaved to the devices he has himself created for the extension of his own powers. Instead of life becoming easier, simpler, easier, generation becomes more difficult, more complex. The pace becomes swifter, the pressure higher, the tension more acute. Perhaps we now need some such process as the factory, government, and learn to so adapt in respect to immigration. It might be wise to call a halt on mere mechanical invention, until we can catch up thereupon, and have that it shall contribute to the happiness, instead of the complications, of life. The world's real problem are to be found, not in things, but in people. Most of them would disappear in a generation if we would all face the facts and the relations of life with minds trained to see all sides, and a desirous of being kind and just."

He welcomed them to be visitors to the Provincial Library, which had merits deserving the most careful scrutiny.

Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay spoke as chairman of the Victoria City Library Board, welcoming the delegates. The international character of the gathering had been referred to and that would always be of interest, because nothing was more important to the world than the maintenance of good relations between the United States and Canada in whatever association it might occur, he said.

A hearty reception had been planned in Victoria, and not the least important was the fact that the citizens of Victoria had brought the British Association there to welcome them, and so Dr. Clay believed delegates would appreciate a display of the city to recognize the value of its visitors.

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GRAIN EXPORT DROPS

Washington, Aug. 26.—Exports of grain from the United States last week totaled 5,663,000 bushels, against 5,985,000 bushels for the previous week. United States and Canadian wheat flour in transit was 276,000 barrels, against 100,000 barrels.

FIRST CAR MOVES

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—The first car of 1924 wheat to be shipped was moved yesterday from Altona, Man., consigned to Keewatin, Ont. It was a first-class sample of Ruby wheat, weighing sixty-four pounds to the bushel and grading No. 1 Northern.

OFFER TO RESCUE WRECKED SAILORS IN NORTHERN SEA

Seattle Interests Send Message of Hope For Kindersley Crew

Colonel A. W. R. Wilby, agent here for the Dominion Department of Marine and Fisheries, received a message late yesterday from a firm in Seattle which asked for the task of rescuing the crew of the Hudson's Bay Company steamer Lady Kindersley, which lies ice-bound in the Northern sea and a prisoner of the Arctic Ocean.

The latest messages from the North give the Lady Kindersley's position as being fifty miles east of Point Barrow. The message from Seattle received here to-day is as follows: "The interests in this city well provided for the task, to-day telegraphed the Canadian Department of Marine at Victoria, B.C., an offer to rescue the twenty men of the Lady Kindersley caught in the ice of the Arctic Ocean off the coast of Alaska."

With a wooden schooner which has frequently been in far northern waters, the makers of the offer proposed to bring off the men of the Kindersley, a trading vessel of the Hudson's Bay Company, which left Vancouver June 27 on her annual Arctic cruise.

The Seattle proposal includes the use of land and water aeroplanes. The tenderers state that they had at their disposal navigators and aviators well used to Arctic conditions. A later report from Alaska states that the Lady Kindersley, something over fifty-five miles north and east of Point Barrow, and still drifting, is in no great danger. The crew, however, are unable to bring their ship into open water and totally unable to get ashore.

RAILROAD BURIED BY RIVER OF MUD

Tracks Near Mount Shasta, Cal., Covered; Glacial Disturbance is Cause

Redding, Cal., Aug. 26.—A torrent of mud from a glacial disturbance on Mount Shasta continues to pour down Ash Creek and over adjacent territory eight miles long and one-half mile wide, burying a railroad, highways and bridges in its path. The mud flow has darkened the streams of the McCloud and Pit Rivers and has made the Sacramento River muddy for several miles.

decide. There is a possibility that the Seattle scheme may not be feasible.

MAY CHANGE ROUTE

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 26.—A report here, yet unconfirmed, is that the northern navigation steamer may make Cleveland their lower-lake terminus on Summer schedules next. The Seattle scheme may not be feasible.

BLUE FUNNEL BOAT LEAVES FOR SEATTLE

Has Valuable Silk Cargo For East; Arrived Here Last Night

The Blue Funnel liner Talthybius arrived in port last night, coming in to quarantine at 6 o'clock and proceeding, after the usual inspection, to the Ribbet pier. There she discharged a portion of her cargo, the greater part of which was for Seattle, where she arrived to-day. She completed her voyage from Yokohama and Hongkong after striking fair weather most of the way, although the end of a typhoon struck her in the China Seas.

Her cargo of 5,600 bales of silk, which was rushed through from Seattle to the East by a special train of twenty-two cars, was handled by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway.

The Talthybius was delayed on her entry to Victoria by heavy fog which lay in the Straits of Juan de Fuca, and took two hours of her time for this reason.

LAST OF BULLION CARGO RECOVERED

Ss. Laurentic's Gold and Silver Shipment Brought up From Ocean Bed

London, Aug. 26.—The discovery of an unexpected stowing place in the forepart of the liner Laurentic, which has been lying on the sea bottom at the mouth of Lough Swilly on the northern Irish coast, since she was sunk by a German submarine in 1917, has enabled divers to recover £250,000 worth of gold bars which had been given up for lost.

The divers have been working on the Laurentic intermittently for the past six years trying to bring back from Davy Jones' locker the consignment of £7,000,000 in gold and silver bullion, and now the entire shipment has been recovered. The Laurentic's sinking is remembered as one of the many disasters of the war.

MAKES RECORD IN RUN FROM BRITAIN

Canadian Skirmisher Arrived Here Yesterday After 34 Days at Sea

The Canadian Skirmisher, which arrived in this port yesterday, established a new record for freight carriers running from the United Kingdom to Victoria. Her total time of sailing was thirty-four days, and she ran at an average of almost twelve nautical miles, about fifteen land miles per hour. The greatest distance covered in one day was 303 miles, say members of her crew.

The Canadian Skirmisher is one of the C.G.M.M. boats which run from England to Vancouver and Victoria carrying general freight from the Old Land and returning with products of the West. The route is a profitable one and the ships are doing well upon it.

The Canadian Rover, on her way from San Francisco, is expected in this port to-morrow. It is expected she has a cargo of general merchandise.

The Canadian Spinner, in the inter-coastal service, will be here on September 15, according to the latest word from the Old Country received by her agents, the C.G.M.M. authorities, here to-day.

EUROPEANS LIKE CANADA'S FLOUR

Plenty of Trade For Dominion in Europe, Says Minister After Tour

Quebec, Aug. 26.—Hon. T. A. Low, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, stated on his arrival here yesterday, on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Scotland, that his trip to England, and continental Europe had been a most profitable one, and from his observations while abroad he believed that an increase in Canadian export trade might be expected very soon.

At Rotterdam, on invitation of the Board of Trade, and the leading citizens, he especially inspected the system of distribution of Canadian wheat to the Dutch mills. Some time was spent inquiring into the receipt of shipment of Canadian wheat in England. Mr. Low admitted this had been done with a view to further enquiry as to the improvement in the wheat for export shipment from the

head of the lakes to the overseas countries.

Canadian flour too was in universal demand because of its superior baking strength. Special efforts were being made in two or three directions to assure a better market for this year's crop.

In several European countries special efforts were being expended by the department to open up a reciprocal trade in certain lines.

Mr. Low stated also, that a tremendous market was possible in the export of meat, but that Canada must study the highly specialized demand—especially of the British demand, to become a successful salesman abroad on this field.

Cunarder Steams Across Atlantic In Record Time

Cherbourg, France, Aug. 26.—The Cunard liner Mauretania arrived here at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon from New York, establishing a time record for the eastbound passage. The trip from the Ambrose Light to Cherbourg breakwater, a distance of 3,098 miles, was made in five days one hour and forty-nine minutes. The average speed was 24.25 knots an hour.

The old record made by the White Star liner Majestic in 1923 was five days, five hours and twenty-five minutes.

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—A tug sent yesterday morning to the assistance of the Ocean Steamship Company's motorship Carriso, which Monday night developed engine trouble 400 miles southwest of San Francisco, and drifted for several hours before being taken in tow by the liner Sierra. When relieved of its tow the Carriso will proceed to this port, where it is expected to arrive about noon to-day. No details have been received here as to the cause of the Carriso's trouble.

With 2,300 tons of cargo for discharge at this port, including 300 tons of Central American coffee and 700 tons for trans-shipment, the Pacific Mail liner Venezuela arrived yesterday morning from New York.

The Japanese steamer Rakuyo Maru arrived here from the Orient with 2,400 tons of Oriental wares and the Shipping Board freighter West Montport brought 5,600 tons from Manila. The Matson steamer Enterprise carried 3,300 tons of Hawaiian island products when she entered port.

GRAIN MOVING

Port William, Ont., Aug. 26.—No grain boats left the harbor of Port William and Port Arthur Sunday, but yesterday five boats took out \$71,000 bushels of grain, of which \$75,000 were wheat.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS					
Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	From	Due
Talthybius	Halley	9,518	Blue Funnel	Yokohama	Aug. 25
Empress of Australia	Halley	9,518	C.P.R.	Yokohama	Sept. 3
Manila Maru	—	6,268	Ritheta	Yokohama	Sept. 7
Shidzuoka Maru	—	6,268	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 8
Shidzuoka Maru	—	6,268	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 10
Protetlaus	—	6,147	Blue Funnel	Yokohama	Sept. 14
Yokohama Maru	—	6,147	Great North	Yokohama	Sept. 27

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES					
Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	For	Sail
Iyo Maru	Halley	5,937	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Aug. 27
Empress of Australia	Halley	9,518	C.P.R.	Yokohama	Sept. 11
President McKinley	—	6,268	Admiral Line	Yokohama	Aug. 24
Shidzuoka Maru	—	6,268	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 21
Manila Maru	—	6,268	Ritheta	Yokohama	Sept. 23
Africa Maru	—	6,147	Ritheta	Yokohama	Oct. 11
Arizona Maru	—	6,147	Ritheta	Yokohama	Oct. 24

TIDE TABLE					
Date	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water	Time of High Water
1	11:10	8:31	9:35	1:17	2:34
2	11:19	8:40	9:44	1:26	2:43
3	11:28	8:49	9:53	1:35	2:52
4	11:37	8:58	10:02	1:44	3:01
5	11:46	9:07	10:11	1:53	3:10
6	11:55	9:16	10:20	2:02	3:19
7	12:04	9:25	10:29	2:11	3:28
8	12:13	9:34	10:38	2:20	3:37
9	12:22	9:43	10:47	2:29	3:46
10	12:31	9:52	10:56	2:38	3:55
11	12:40	10:01	11:05	2:47	4:04
12	12:49	10:10	11:14	2:56	4:13
13	12:58	10:19	11:23	3:05	4:22
14	13:07	10:28	11:32	3:14	4:31
15	13:16	10:37	11:41	3:23	4:40
16	13:25	10:46	11:50	3:32	4:49
17	13:34	10:55	11:59	3:41	4:58
18	13:43	11:04	12:08	3:50	5:07
19	13:52	11:13	12:17	3:59	5:16
20	14:01	11:22	12:26	4:08	5:25
21	14:10	11:31	12:35	4:17	5:34
22	14:19	11:40	12:44	4:26	5:43
23	14:28	11:49	12:53	4:35	5:52
24	14:37	11:58	13:02	4:44	6:01
25	14:46	12:07	13:11	4:53	6:10
26	14:55	12:16	13:20	5:02	6:19
27	15:04	12:25	13:29	5:11	6:28
28	15:13	12:34	13:38	5:20	6:37
29	15:22	12:43	13:47	5:29	6:46
30	15:31	12:52	13:56	5:38	6:55
31	15:40	13:01	14:05	5:47	7:04

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 12th Meridian west. It is counted from 6 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blank occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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Canadian Freighters to arrive Vancouver from United Kingdom October 25.
Canadian Planter to arrive Vancouver October 25 from Australian ports.
Canadian Prospector to arrive Vancouver September 17.
Canadian Scotlich to arrive Vancouver August 21.
Canadian Skirmisher left Liverpool and due to arrive Vancouver August 30.
Canadian Transporter, from Avonmouth to Vancouver, arrives September 25.
Canadian Winner left for Halifax, Montreal and Quebec, arrives at Vancouver October 16.
Canadian Colister left Montreal for Vancouver, via Sydney and Sabine, August 3; arrive Vancouver October 16.
Canadian Rover at Ocean Falls; to arrive Vancouver August 28.
Canadian Trooper left Vancouver August 11, arrive Prince Rupert.
The Canadian Volunteer is due in Victoria on August 30.
The Canadian Highlander left here for the United Kingdom on August 14.

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SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Aug. 26.—With one of the heaviest cargoes to reach this port from the Orient in months, including one of the largest shipments of raw silk, the Blue Funnel Line steamship Talthybius, returning to service between Seattle and the Orient after an absence of sixteen months, arrived at Victoria, B.C., last night and docked here to-day.

Two units of the Pacific Steamship Company's fleet, the H. F. Alexander, from California ports, and the Admiral Rogers, from Southeastern Alaska, arrived here yesterday, bringing in more than 700 passengers.

In the service of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, the French liner, the British steamship Utah, will arrive to-day, advised received here stated. She will bring shipments from Bordeaux, Havre and Antwerp of cast iron pipe, glass and other freight.

Construction of a sixty-seven-foot hullab schooner that will represent an investment of more than \$20,000 was started yesterday by the yard of the Olson & Sunde Marine Works for the Iverson Brothers of Seattle.

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